

LOOK FOR A FIGHT OF LONG DURATION

COAL MINERS AND OWNERS LINE UP FOR BATTLE.

First Day of Conference—Problem of a Scale Is Greeted With a Wide Difference of Opinion—Committees Appointed to Do the Parliamentary Work.

Chicago, Jan. 18.—Anti-conference declarations on the part of representatives of the mine operatives and some of the miners seem to indicate that there is a wide difference of opinion, and that there will be a stubborn fight before a new interstate agreement is made. There is no question about the feeling among the men. They are solid for an increase in wages, and an increase based on a 75-cent rate in the Pittsburgh district.

With the exception of the Pittsburgh operators, it is said that the owners of mines who are here to attend the conference are in favor of granting an advance, but there are few of them who will go to the extent of the men's demand.

As yet there has been no talk of arbitrating the differences, but the men assert their willingness either to remain as a body or leave official representatives here until time for a new scale to go into operation, rather than have the conference dissolved without having exhausted every expedient to arrive at an agreement which will keep the mines running without interruption for the next year.

The figures which each side will present are now pretty well known, although neither has made an official proclamation of its intentions. It is conceded that the first move the miners will make will be to demand nine run in the various states, and it is said that in this demand they will have the support of many of the leading operators in Illinois. The operators in Ohio and Pennsylvania, who are not confronted with a state law, say they will have nothing to do with the mine-run proposition, and that if they are to make an agreement at this time it will be on the basis of mining over screens of various-sized meshes, as has been done in the past. On this point the hardest fight in the convention is to be waged, and it may be that the miners will refuse to consider any scale except one for gross weight.

On the basis of a Pittsburgh scale at 75 cents, that for Illinois will be a fraction over 72 cents for mine run, but the operators declare emphatically that it is too high and that they will not pay it. In this connection the Pittsburgh operators say that 54 cents ought to be the scale in that district. This would amount to a reduction from the present rate, but it is said that the operators will offer it to the joint scale committee. If it is rejected by the men the operators will offer to submit the matter to arbitration with a view to settling on a 69-cent basis. This is 6 cents less than the men demand.

While the Illinois operators have not settled definitely on the figures that they will present to the miners from this state, they have come to an agreement on the differential which they desire to have govern in the various fields. The rate in the Danville district will be the basis. The Illinois men say they will not make this rate until they ascertain what the eastern operators are willing to pay.

The differential as established by the Illinois operators is: Streator, 7 cents above Danville; LaSalle, 16 cents above Danville; Wilmington field, 5 cents above LaSalle; Belleville, Virden and the central part of the state the same as Danville; Mount Olive and Stanton the same as Danville, and the extreme southern portions, 4 cents below Danville. This will include Pana and the field south of the Chicago & Alton tracks.

An Illinois operator said last night that the Illinois men were willing to advance the price at Streator 4 cents. This would make the rate for that field 48 cents, and figured on that basis Danville would get 41 cents, LaSalle 64 cents and Wilmington 69 cents. The extreme southern field is to be advanced 5 cents. There is said to be no material difference between the differential adopted by the miners and that of the operators, but there is a difference of nearly 4 cents a ton in mining rate, and the miners are prepared to fight for this.

In the conference yesterday it was decided that the joint scale committee should consist of four miners and four operators from each state, Illinois being given five delegates, but to have only four votes. After the adjournment of the joint conference the miners held a meeting and appointed their scale committee. The Illinois operators named as their committee A. L. Sweet, Alva Agie, J. E. Simpson, G. W. Traer and J. M. Browning.

GREAT STRUGGLE BEGINS.

Cotton Industry of New England Completely Paralyzed.

Boston, Mass., Jan. 18.—The greatest struggle between capital and labor in the history of New England's cotton industry began today. The reduction in wages ranges from 10 to 15 per cent, and affects about 125,000 operatives in 150 cotton mills. In all, 16,745 operatives are on a strike, \$26,000,000 of capital is affected and twenty-eight mills are closed.

Not a loom is turning in New Bedford, where 8,730 operatives are idle. In Biddeford, Me., 3,500 hands are out, and in Saco 1,600 are loafing. In Lewiston, Me., 1,290 workers refused to accept the reduction. In Burlington, Vt., 800 wage earners struck, and in Fitchburg, Mass., 225 quit work. In Fall River 1,100 are out.

In Nashua, N. H.; Waterville, Me.; Pittsfield, N. H.; Chester, Me.; Salmon Falls, N. H.; Amesbury, Mass.; Brunswick, Me., and Augusta, Me., the operatives accepted the 10 and 11 per cent reductions, but await the outcome of the strikes in other places, to begin a struggle for themselves. They will give financial assistance to their struggling brethren. In Lowell the cut-down will not go into effect until Friday.

Strikers Are Riotous.

New Bedford, Mass., Jan. 18.—There was an incipient riot in front of the Bristol mill between 6 and 7 o'clock Monday night. Fifteen hundred strikers gathered on learning that some fifty non-union operatives had been at work all day in the mill, and began to shout. The non-union workers beat a hasty retreat through a broken fence in the rear of the mill and when Superintendent George H. Law left by the front entrance he was stoned by the mob. No one was seriously hurt.

FRANCE IN A FRENZY.

Cabinet Crisis Threatened as the Result of the Dreyfus Agitation.

Paris, Jan. 18.—There was great excitement in the chamber of deputies Monday when M. Cavaignac (rep.) demanded a discussion of the semi-official note, issued today, in which the government declined to make public the alleged confession of Alfred Dreyfus to M. Lebrun-Renaud. The premier, M. Meline, in refusing to discuss the matter declared that if the chamber voted its immediate discussion the cabinet would resign. When the vote was taken the house by 310 yeas to 252 days decided to shelve the discussion.

Several small anti-Dreyfus demonstrations took place Monday in various parts of Paris. None of them was of a serious nature, and those taking part in them were quickly dispersed. Telegrams from numerous provincial towns report student manifestations at Marseilles, where the windows of Jewish shops were broken. At Nantes there have been some anti-Jewish attacks.

To Discuss Fusion.

Topeka, Kas., Jan. 18.—A call has been issued for a meeting of the Democratic state central committee of Kansas Feb. 22 in this city to arrange for the state convention. It is probable that a plan of fusion with the Populists will be agreed upon. The arrangement most generally favored is to give the Populists the governor, secretary of state, auditor of state, attorney-general and lieutenant-governor, leaving the Democrats to name the state treasurer and superintendent of public instruction. A similar fusion is to be made in the congressional and county elections.

Uprising in Uruguay.

Montevideo, Uruguay, Jan. 18.—Information received from the interior announces that armed bands of nationalists (white party) have appeared at various points. It is said that these bands will sustain President Cuestas in the event of an uprising against the government. No collision has been reported so far, but there is a fear that the bands may attack the friends of Gomezoro. The government has given assurances that the matter is without importance.

To Shift Bribery Charges.

Columbus, O., Jan. 18.—Speaker Mason of the house of representatives has appointed the committee to investigate the alleged attempt to bribe Representative Otis of Hamilton county to vote for Marcus A. Hanna for senator. A sub-committee was also appointed to call on the investigating committee of the senate to arrange for joint sessions. The senate committee has already fixed upon a time for beginning its investigations.

Strike at Streator, Ill.

Streator, Ill., Jan. 18.—Between 500 and 600 boys employed at the Streator Bottle and Glass Works refused to go to work Monday because of a reduction in their wages. They had been receiving 65 cents per day and the management cut it to 50 cents without consulting them. This the boys refused to accept and the works are therefore idle. About 400 men await the return of the boys.

Bread Riots in Italy.

Ancona, Italy, Jan. 18.—There have been bread riots here arising from a demonstration of women organized by the socialists that proceeded to the town hall to beg a reduction in the price of bread. The mayor promised the measures, but the men then joined in the demonstration and stoned several shops. In the melee that ensued several were hurt.

Paper Trust Deal.

Franklin Falls, N. H., Jan. 18.—The paper trust, with a capital of \$50,000,000, has acquired the big plant of the Winnepesaukee Paper company, making sixteen companies in the combination. The aggregate output of the mills the trust now controls is 1,387 tons of news paper per day.

Gold Seekers May Be Lost.

Seattle, Wash., Jan. 18.—A report was in circulation here Monday that the steamer City of Seattle had gone ashore somewhere on the route to Alaska. The City of Seattle sailed from Seattle last Wednesday for Skagway and Dyea with 550 passengers and 600 tons of freight.

CHANGE THE RATIO OF SILVER COINS

SENATOR WOLCOTT THINKS 20 TO 1 MAY BE ADOPTED.

He Talks of Bimetallism—Result of the Trip Abroad of the Monetary Commissioners Is Reviewed For the Benefit of the Senators—India's Deplorable Position.

Washington, Jan. 18.—The features of Monday's proceedings in the senate were the speech delivered by Senator Wolcott of Colorado, chairman of the bimetallic commission, upon the negotiations with European countries relative to international bimetalism and the passage of the Lodge bill restricting immigration into the United States.

At the conclusion of Mr. Wolcott's speech the immigration bill was taken up and discussed until 3 o'clock, the hour at which, by previous agreement, it had been arranged to vote finally upon the amendments and the bill. An amendment offered by Mr. Spooner of Wisconsin providing that the ability on the part of the immigrant either to read or to write should be accepted either as a sufficient test of his literacy was adopted. Another amendment by Mr. Spooner providing that the members of the family accompanying the immigrant rejected under the conditions of the bill should be returned to the country whence they came by the steamship companies was also adopted. Other efforts were made to amend the measure, but failed. The bill was then passed by a vote of 45 to 28.

The bill as passed provides that all immigrants physically capable and over 16 years of age shall be able to read or write the English language or some other language; but a person not able to read or write who is over 50 years of age and is the parent or grandparent of a qualified immigrant over 21 years of age and capable of supporting such parent or grandparent may accompany the immigrant, or the parent or grandparent may be sent for and come to join the family; and a wife or minor child not able to read or write may accompany or be sent for and come to join the husband or parent who is qualified. This act does not apply to persons coming to the United States from the island of Cuba during the continuance of present disorders there, who have heretofore been inhabitants of that island.

Mr. Caffery (La.) offered an amendment increasing the age of immigrants affected by the bill from 16 to 21 years. The amendment was lost by 28 yeas to 36 nays.

Mr. Kyle (S. D.) offered an amendment providing that any immigrant convicted within a year of his landing in this country of a felony or other violation of law should be returned to the country from which he came. The amendment was lost without division.

The bill was then placed on the passage, and passed by a vote of 45 to 28, as follows:

Yeas—Allison, Baker, Burrows, Cannon, Carter, Chandler, Chilton, Clark, Davis, Elkins, Fairbanks, Foraker, Frye, Gallinger, Hale, Hanna, Hansbrough, Harris, Hawley, Hoar, Kyle, Lodge, McBride, McMillan, Mantle, Mason, Morrill, Penrose, Perkins, Pettigrew, Platt (Conn.), Platt (N. Y.), Pritchard, Proctor, Quay, Sewell, Shoup, Spooner, Teller, Thurston, Tillman, Warren, Wetmore, Wilson, Wolcott—45.

Nays—Allen, Bacon, Bate, Berry, Caffery, Clay, Cockrell, Daniel, Gorman, Helfield, Jones (Ark.) Kenney, Lindsay, McEnery, Mallory, Martin, Mills, Mitchell, Money, Morgan, Murphy, Pettus, Rawlins, Roach, Stewart, Turpie, Walthall, White—28.

The Day in the House.

Washington, Jan. 18.—Monday was District of Columbia day in the house, but only three bills of local importance were passed. The remainder of the session was devoted to further consideration of the army appropriation bill. The debate was particularly notable for a vigorous speech by Mr. McClellan of New York, a son of Gen. George B. McClellan, attacking the present army organization as obsolete and inefficient. He asserted that we were unprepared for war should a crisis come, and contended for modern methods in organization, equipment and supplies which would enable the United States to meet an emergency.

Mr. Lewis of Washington also made a speech that attracted attention in denunciation of trusts, which, he declared, were threatening the liberties of the country. The consideration of the army appropriation bill was not completed.

Draper Murder Trial Goes On.

Jacksonville, Ill., Jan. 18.—In the Draper trial Monday a motion by the defense to get rid of two of the jurors on the ground that they had expressed an opinion contrary to what they stated when they were being examined was overruled. Forty witnesses from Louisiana, Mo., Draper's place of residence before he came to this place, and from Jacksonville testified as to his good character previous to the night of the murder.

Gale on the Atlantic Coast.

Norfolk, Va., Jan. 18.—The heavy northeast gale which prevailed when the North Atlantic squadron put to sea Sunday is blowing a small tornado off Hatteras, although it is subsiding. No fears are felt for the safety of Admiral Sigsbee's ships.

THE SENATORS VOTE TO PASS THE BILL

IMMIGRATION MEASURE INDORSED 45 TO 28

Provisions of the Act—Amendments Adopted Make Little Change—Our Military System Condemned As Obsolete In a House Discussion.

Washington, Jan. 18.—Senator Wolcott made a statement in the senate Monday explaining the results of the recent bimetallic commission to Europe, and also announcing his intention of retiring from the commission.

During the year, he said, France, Germany and Great Britain had made declarations favorable to silver, and the commission had given its first attention to France. It had been agreed that France and the United States should join in presenting the subject to Great Britain, and the treatment of the commission in England, he added, had been all that could possibly be desired. The newspapers of London, however, were, so Mr. Wolcott said, dominated by the banking power and showed marked hostility to the propositions advanced by the commission.

Mr. Wolcott then spoke at some length upon the condition of silver in India, and said that the closing of the Indian mints to silver had created widespread dissatisfaction. The Indian government, he was almost sure, would welcome any settlement of the money question which would again permit the free coinage of silver. The Indian situation, continued Mr. Wolcott, was inexplicable. For many years the people of India had invested their savings in silver, which was now reduced to half its former value; much of the trade of India was decaying, and the recent famine was largely one of money instead of grain. A remedy for all these ills, said Mr. Wolcott, had been offered by the commission; the offer had been refused, and the refusal must be considered final until the failure of the experiment now being tried by the Indian government should be considered a certainty.

Mr. Wolcott then enumerated the obstacles with which the commission had to contend—the fall in the price of silver, the coincident tariff legislation and the statements of New York bankers in England, who assured everybody that bimetalism was a dead issue in America. Letters and interviews said to have been given out by the secretary of the treasury had been quoted to show that bimetalism was dead—these interviews and letters were, Mr. Wolcott trusted, forgeries, for, in his opinion, it was inconceivable that a cabinet official should seek to undermine the work of a commission appointed by the president himself. The commission had also been continually attacked by statements of extremists, who represented that the president was the secret foe of the commission, and that failure for the project was inevitable.

Mr. Wolcott summarized the present situation by saying that it was, for the present, impossible to count on any co-operation from Great Britain toward a bimetallic agreement, and that France, while friendly to the project, insists upon united action by several other great nations. The French ministry was highly complimented in a number of passages.

Mr. Wolcott then announced his intention of retiring from the commission and said that it might be necessary in future bimetallic considerations to change the ratio from 16 to 1 to 20 to 1. He contrasted the attitude of Secretary Gage on the financial problem with the position taken by the president, and declared that the great majority of the Republican party were bimetallics and were misrepresented by Mr. Gage—an unpleasant but unendurable situation. The time when the country would submit to the final imposition of gold monometallism, he declared, was far away.

Mr. Wolcott wound up with a vigorous appeal for faith in silver and quoted the statements of leading men of France. Only a few days ago, just before Christmas, in a debate in the French chamber, M. Meline again declared from the tribune that the French government was at one with the United States on the question of bimetalism. "In the face of such declaration," said Mr. Wolcott, "it is as cowardly to abandon hope as it is false to talk about failure. In international bimetalism is to the gold monometallists a stumbling block and to the silver monometallists foolishness, but it is nevertheless a splendid possibility; its accomplishment would be the greatest blessing that could befall our people, and to achieve it we might well afford to sink for the time the hostilities of party and the bickerings of factions."

Iowa Law Upheld.

Washington, Jan. 18.—The United States supreme court Monday decided the case of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Railway Company, plaintiff in error, vs. Patrick L. Solan, from the Iowa supreme court. The case involved the constitutionality of the Iowa state law, rendering void any contract with a railroad company limiting liability in cases of loss. The decision of the court upholds the law.

Heavy Failure in New York.

New York, Jan. 18.—Maurice Wertheimer, Herman Steinberger and Jacob Steinberger, doing business under the name of Wertheimer & Co. in this city, and the Wertheimer Glove Manufactur-

ing company at Johnstown, N. Y., have assigned to Bruno Richter without preferences. The assets and liabilities are each reported to be about \$300,000.

LEGISLATION IN IOWA.

Senator Bolter Introduces a Novel but Much Needed Bill.

Des Moines, Iowa, Jan. 18.—Senator Bolter Monday introduced a bill which provides that the Iowa courts shall have jurisdiction to the middle of the Missouri river at the time of the act complained of in either a criminal or civil suit no matter where the vacillating current of the river may flow at the time the action is begun.

Senator Kilbourn introduced a bill to give all agricultural societies which held fairs during 1897 the \$200 state bonus authorized by the code of 1873, but amended in the new code.

Senator Carney of Marshalltown introduced a bill providing for honest primaries. He proposes to punish frauds in the primaries by fines not to exceed \$500 and by imprisonment for not less than two or more than six months in the county jail. A similar bill passed two years ago, but was killed in the house.

RECEPTION TO DOLE.

All Courtesies Due His Rank Will Be Extended.

Washington, Jan. 18.—The officials here are considering what reception shall be extended to President Dole of Hawaii. When he arrives in Washington President Dole, who diplomatically ranks with any reigning potentate, monarch or president, will be received with all of the usual courtesies, being entertained officially if it pleases him, as have been other visitors of equal rank.

Afraid of White Cappers.

Bloomington, Ind., Jan. 18.—Monday was the day set for the famous White Cap trial. Nine well-known farmers were indicted for taking Milton Southers out one night last August and beating him badly. They also whipped his aged mother and a young woman who was staying at the house, which the White Cappers claimed was a house of ill repute. When the case was called the state announced that it was not ready, as Southers and the young woman were absent, so the trial was put off until the March term. It is said that Southers left because he was afraid to testify, and that his life had been threatened.

Hawaii's Sugar Imports.

Washington, Jan. 18.—Replying to a resolution of inquiry, Secretary Wilson sent to the senate a statement, giving the average importation of sugar to this country for the past seven years as \$101,575,293 worth, of which the Hawaiian importation was \$9,973,924. He concludes that Hawaii will not seriously compete with sugar producers in the United States, and says that "when the people of those islands come to consider the possibilities of coffee production it will be found that they have a monopoly with which no state in the Union can interfere."

Boy Bandit Confesses.

Lima, Ohio, Jan. 18.—John Ritner, who is confined in the jail at St. Clairsville, although only 16 years of age, confesses to a series of startling crimes. He acknowledges robbing the Cleveland, Lorain and Wheeling office of \$900, the postoffice at Wheeling Creek mines of \$400 and wrecking a Cleveland, Lorain and Wheeling passenger train for the purpose of robbery, together with a number of minor crimes.

Great Meeting of Mayors.

Indianapolis, Jan. 18.—Invitations to attend the meeting of the state board of commerce, which began here today, have been accepted by 100 cities, which will be represented by mayors and presidents of councils. The meeting will last two days. The papers to be read and discussed at the sessions of the board cover a large variety of questions that are of vital importance in municipal government.

Cannot Collect the Policies.

Washington, Jan. 18.—In the United States supreme court Monday Justice Harlan handed down an opinion in the case of A. Howard Ritter, executor of William M. Runk, versus the Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York, involving the question of whether the heirs of a man who commits suicide when in sound mind can recover an insurance policy. The court held that they could not.

Great Britain Is Determined.

London, Jan. 18.—Right Hon. Sir Michael Hicks-Beach, chancellor of the exchequer, speaking at Swansea, echoed the declarations of Mr. Balfour, first lord of the treasury, on the Indian policy of the government at Manchester, and said the government was determined, even at the cost of war, that the door of Chinese commerce should not be shut to Great Britain.

May Adjourn Feb. 4.

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 18.—The talk of sine die adjournment of the legislature now fixes Feb. 4 as the date. It is predicated on the possibility of getting a revenue bill through the house some time next week. No business was done in either house Monday evening and adjournment was taken to 10 o'clock this morning.

Secretary Alger Much Better.

Washington, Jan. 18.—Secretary Alger was able to sit up for a short time Monday and is said to be otherwise improved in condition.

TO RECOGNIZE CUBA CAN CAUSE NO WAR

EUROPE IS NOT INTERESTED IN MATTER.

Would Not Oppose Active Intervention By the United States, and In Fact, Some Nations Want to See Uncle Sam Take a Hand in the Affair.

St. Louis, Jan. 18.—The Globe-Democrat's Washington correspondent says:

"This government has received assurances through diplomatic channels from the leading powers of Europe that no objection will be raised to intervention to end the Cuban war. The positions of the powers, as expressed diplomatically, vary from declarations of absolute neutrality, as between the United States and Spain, to the opinion that the time has come for the United States to step in and end the struggle upon some basis. The latter is notably the position of Great Britain.

"This government understands that it is the decided conviction of Great Britain that further continuance of the struggle on the island is useless; that Spain is unable to suppress the insurrection, and that the United States should at an early day assume an aggressive position to enforce peace upon some terms.

"Great Britain stands foremost among the powers in the desire for speedy action by the United States. Even Austria, the home country of the queen regent of Spain, is said to have conveyed the information that its position will be that intervention by the United States will be none of its business.

"From the advices received it seems certain that in case of intervention by the United States Spain will not receive aid from a single European power. The belief seems to be world-wide that Spain can not suppress the insurrection.

"The first inference might be that such assurances would tend to hasten action by the United States. That, however, will not be the effect. The fact is noted that the European powers which manifest the strongest desire to see American intervention are those which are most interested in the fate of Spanish Cuban securities. There is an impression among some of those senators and representatives best versed in foreign affairs that unskilled management of the Cuban matter in this crisis might lay basis for claims from citizens of other countries against this country for the loss of their securities."

More Artillery Asked For.

Washington, Jan. 18.—In a communication to congress on the care and preservation of the government fortifications and their armament Acting Secretary of War Melickjohn calls on congress for an additional force of two regiments of artillery, imperatively required to keep the guns and mortars throughout the country in good condition and to use them effectively when required.

Erie Canal for Uncle Sam.

Albany, N. Y., Jan. 18.—Dock Commissioner O'Brien of New York arrived here Monday to take the first step in a proposed plan to turn the Erie canal over to the federal government. The state constitution will have to be amended to permit the transfer and a resolution to that end was introduced in the legislature today.

Superintendent Wagner Resigns.

Normal, Ill., Jan. 18.—C. H. Wagner, superintendent of the Soldier's Orphans' Home, has presented his resignation to the governor, and it is understood that it will be accepted. It was sent to Springfield Saturday. There is little doubt that Wagner's successor will be Colonel Isaac Clements of Carbondale.

Slays Family and Himself.

New York, Jan. 18.—John Matthews, a retail grocer, some time between last Saturday night and Monday morning, murdered with a hatchet his wife and their two children, a boy 10 years old and a girl of 12. Matthews then turned on the gas and shot himself to death with a revolver.

Have Half a Million.

Victoria, B. C., Jan. 18.—The steamer Corona arrived last night from Juneau and Skagway, among the passengers being eighteen men and one woman from Dawson City. They have in their possession dust, nuggets and drafts valued at over \$500,000. It is the richest party yet returned.

Think Fire Was Incendiary.

Chicago, Jan. 18.—Chief Swenie and several tenants believe the building at Market and Quincy streets, owned by Martin A. Ryerson and formerly used as the wholesale house of James H. Walker & Co., was set on fire early yesterday morning. Fire Inspector Conway, on the chief's order, is investigating the origin of the blaze which resulted in a loss of \$240,000 worth of property.

"Kid" Will Not Go Out of His Class.

Pittsburg, Pa., Jan. 18.—"Kid" Lavigne, who is this week filling an engagement here, says he cannot accept the challenge of Tommy Ryan of Syracuse. Lavigne says he will fight any lightweight in the world, but will not go out of his class. As Ryan cannot come down to the weight, the "Kid" refuses to consider his proposition.

GAITY RULES O'ER A SCENE OF BEAUTY

DELIGHTFUL DANCING PARTY IS GIVEN.

Miss Ruth Culver Entertains Charmingly In Honor of Her Sister, Mrs. Page, and Miss Charlotte Anglin At Columbia Hall Last Evening—Social Notes.

One of the most pleasant social events of the season was given at Columbia hall last evening by Miss Ruth Culver, who entertained in honor of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Page of McIntosh, Minn., and Miss Charlotte Anglin, of Crookston, Minn. Miss Culver was assisted in receiving by her mother, Mrs. Mark Ripley, Mr. and Mrs. Page, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Wheeler and Miss Anglin.

Delightful music was furnished by Smith's full orchestra, and refreshments were served in the gallery under the direction of Oester G. A. Shurtliff, the service being in charge of—

Misses—
Elizabeth McKee, Etoile Nowlan,
Margaret Jackson, Mabel Greenman,
Juliet Bostwick, Sarah Sutherland.

Dancing began at 8 o'clock, and about one hundred couples participated. The party was one of the most enjoyable that could be imagined, and among those who joined in the festivities were:

Messrs. and Mesdames—
A. E. Bingham, J. C. Robertson,
J. V. Norcross, Ward Williams,
George F. Kimball, H. F. Bliss,
F. C. Burpee, G. E. Kins,
H. H. Bliss, J. L. Bostwick,
W. G. Wheeler, S. M. Smith,
William Reger, Jr., C. S. Jackson,
John Bass, H. G. Carter,
Charles H. Gage, M. G. Jeffris,
J. S. Fife, C. L. Fife,
A. L. Kavelage, I. F. Wortendyke,
S. B. Smith, D. W. Watt,
J. A. Sutherland, A. E. Jackson,
J. W. St. John, A. E. Matheson,
W. S. Jeffris, H. S. Sloan,
G. B. Parker, W. B. Greenman,
W. P. Sayles, A. E. Rich,
E. P. Doty, Frank Sayre, Fulton,
W. H. Judd, Mesdames—
James F. Gage, Milton Junction,
Anna Gage, Highland Park,
Henry McKee, Chicago.

W. T. Vankirk, Elizabeth Douglass,
F. F. Stevens, D. K. Jeffris,
Mary Haviland, C. E. Moseley,
H. D. Hoover, William Reger,
L. Smith, Mark Ripley,
I. C. Sloan, Susan Jerome,
C. L. Sloan, Misses—
Helen Ranous, Julia Wilson,
Helen Macdon, Minnie Jones,
Alice Echlin, Adelaide Best,
Jessie Echlin, Nettie Kent,
Dollie Best, Harriet Fife,
Rachelle Bostwick, Genevieve Rich,
Helen Nash, Louise Kent,
Georgia Giddens, Maude Nowlan,
Elizabeth Norcross, Cornelia Brown,
Sybil Nash, Elizabeth Abbott,
Harriet Carpenter, Mamie Farnsworth,
Mae Valentine, Jennie Fife,
Mabel Jackson, Cora Sutherland,
Mamie Mount, Louise Crosby,
Charlotte Pritchard, Alice Fellows,
Alice Farnsworth, Mabel Shumway,
Jennie Baker, Grace Brownell,
Fannie Jackson, Agnes Shumway,
Louise Palmer, Abbie Atwood,
Katherine Smith, Emma Cargill,
La Crosse.

Messrs.—
Lucian Duffin, Whitewater,
Charles Dow, Madison,
A. J. Thompson, Beloit,
Charles Doyle, Crookston,
Fred P. King, Clarence Sutherland,
R. J. Hart, S. L. Sheldon,
C. C. Russell, H. W. McMama,
Orion Sutherland, Albert Hoffmaster,
A. Schaller, H. K. White,
F. L. Clemons, E. V. Whitton,
H. F. Cowles, Fred Hanchett,
N. A. Ford, V. D. Atwood,
S. D. Tallman, M. O. Mout,
Edwin Norcross, W. W. Watt,
R. M. Bostwick, G. E. Hale,
Mark Bostwick, B. L. Watt,
Frank Sanner, H. H. McKinney,
J. L. Vankirk, G. W. Fife,
J. G. DeLong, W. S. Fife,
Charles Schaller, E. D. McGowan,
E. G. Fife, C. W. Bliss.

SOME OTHER SOCIAL NOTES

Surprised Richard Griffiths.

A number of young friends gave Richard Griffiths, Jr., a very pleasant surprise party at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Griffiths, on North Bluff street, last evening. The guests were:

Misses—
Hattie Slightam, Genevieve Guild,
Leatha Phillips, Lizzie Mackin,
Sadie Fathier, Bora Brown,
Leola Sloum, Grace Miller,
Alice Mackin, Miss Sutton, Edgerton.
Messrs—
Len Mathews, William Zilley,
Earnest Phillips, George Petrie,
Clate Tansberg, Arthur Macman,
William Daly, George Farmer,
Frank Nelson, Richard Griffiths, Jr.

Musical-Literary Club.

A program made up from the productions of Schubert and Schumann was given at the regular meeting of the Musical-Literary society held at the rooms of the Rock County Caledonian society last evening. The arrangement was as follows:

Nos. 11 and 5 from "Kinderszenen"..... Schumann
..... Miss Maude Nowlan.

Awarded
Highest Honors—World's Fair.
Gold Medal, Midwinter Fair.

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Nos. 4, 3, 12 from "Kinderszenen"..... Schumann
..... Miss Amy Bowles.
"Thou Art a Lovely Flower"..... Schumann
"The Hat of Green"..... Schumann
..... Mrs. Minnie Menzies.
Nachstuecke in F..... Schumann
..... Miss Marcia Withington.
Sonata for Violin and Piano..... Schubert
..... Herbert Adams, Mrs. M. D. Jones.
"Last Greeting"..... Schubert
..... Miss Beckwith.
Warum..... Schumann
..... Miss Tessie Gibbons.
"My Sweet Repose"..... Schubert
..... Miss Elizabeth Palmer.
Faschingschwank aus Wien..... Schumann
..... Mrs. Clarence L. Clark.
Widmung..... Schumann
..... Mrs. S. B. Lewis.
The Trout..... Schubert-Heller
..... Miss Sophie Weisend.
Serenade..... Schubert
..... Mrs. Will S. Jeffris.

NEWS OF THE BADGER STATE

CITIZENS of the village of Stanley have decided to vote on the question of being incorporated as a city on May 1.

Mrs. HENRY WEYERBURG of Kaukauna, the mother of fifteen children, gave birth to twins recently. She is but 48 years old.

THE Superior police have arrested Angus McDonald on a charge of stealing eighty yards of carpet from a store in that city last spring.

THE Omro Horticultural society has elected O. W. Babcock a delegate to the annual meeting of the State Horticultural society, with E. F. Darrow as alternate.

OLE OLSON has been sent to Wau-pun for one year on a charge of being an habitual criminal. He has been arrested a number of times in Racine for petty offenses.

THE Griffin rifles, an Eau Claire militia company, will build a new armory in the spring, fitted with all modern conveniences, club rooms, gymnasium, dining hall and baths.

THE Burke's Home Clip company will start a factory at Green Bay for the finishing of the clip which will be brought there in a rough condition. The castings are made in Racine.

HENRY DONALLY, of Shell Lake, was thrown from a wagon in a runaway and lay for six hours in the woods in an insensible condition. He will recover from his injuries and exposure.

THE elevators of the Great Northern Grain company at Manitowoc have handled near 5,000,000 bushels of wheat since last winter. All this grain was sent across the lake to eastern ports.

ATTORNEY General Mylrea and Insurance Commissioner Fricke, who have been in the east negotiating with the insurance companies which owe taxes to the state, have returned to Madison.

W. H. GILBERT, of Ashland, has received the contract to furnish timber for the rebuilding of the North-Western ore dock at Escanaba, recently burned. The amount required will be more than 5,000,000 feet.

FIRE destroyed the large skating rink and the town hall at Unity. A ball was held in the rink, and fire was discovered soon after the dancers left. The loss is \$1,000. The rink was insured. There was no insurance on the hall.

A PRIZEFIGHT is said to have taken place near the village of Rio between two young men between whom existed a feud. The men fought thirty-three rounds, and the winner received \$20 and the loser \$5. Quite a crowd of spectators was present.

THE Fond du Lac Tent and Awning company has been incorporated with \$5,000 capital. The incorporators are D. A. Graham, E. W. Dickinson and C. L. Hastings. A plant for the manufacture of their goods will be put in operation by February 1.

THE common council of Racine has voted in favor of the petition of the Trades and Labor assembly to establish an eight-hour day for city laborers. It is thought that there may be a statutory barrier which will prevent the operation of the plan in the case of city contracts.

UNITED States Engineer John C. Beye of the Engineering department at Oshkosh with his assistant, Bailey Grover of Berlin, are at Kaukauna, taking levels and measurements along the government canal from which a map is to be made for the use of the government.

THE creditors of the Commercial bank at Stevens Point have agreed to accept the 50 per cent of the face value of the stock which was offered to them by the stockholders, if the president Emmons Burr, would pay \$3000 or turn over his homestead to the creditors. Mr. Burr will not comply with the latter condition, it is said.

THE common council of the city of Madison has refused to accept the resignation of Julius Zehner from the board of education, and he will remain with that body. Mr. Zehner resigned at the time Dr. Stearns was defeated for re-election to the board of education on account of his views in regard to the selection of teachers.

AN engine on the St. Louis & Ashland Logging railway recently became unmanageable and collided with another engine which was standing on the main line at Nash. The collision opened the throttle of the latter engine, on which nobody was aboard, and it sped down the track at a terrific rate. It ran off the dock, but landed right side up on the ice and is not seriously damaged.

THE burning of \$400,000 worth of lumber in the fire at Eland Junction belonging to the Sherry company has brought up a question as to the receivers and creditors as to who will get the insurance money, which about equals the loss. The lumber was held by C. W. Howard of Neenah on notes, but the policies had never been transferred to him. The question will probably come up in the courts.

A BIG DEAL MADE IN COUNTY DIRT

ARCHIE REID BUYS 640 ACRES OF LAND.

Nicholas Altemus Was the Seller, and the Price Paid Was \$38,000—Largest Transfer Recorded of Late—D. Ryan Buys Livery Barn—Some Other Transfers.

Several important deals in real estate have been made of late, the largest transaction being the sale of 640 acres in section six, seven and eight town of Janesville. Archie Reid bought the property from Nicholas Altemus, the consideration being \$38,000. This is the largest sale recorded for some time. The papers were filed yesterday.

The next largest sale was that of C. W. Jackson to Daniel Ryan, Mr. Ryan buying the property now occupied by him as a livery stable on Main street the consideration being \$9,000.

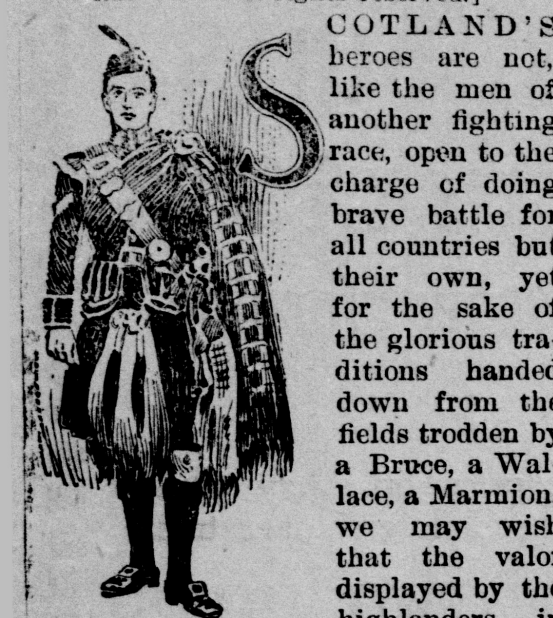
The transfers are reported by Register of Deeds Oscar D. Rowe as follows:

Clarence W. Jackson and wife to Daniel Ryan, 4 1/2 lots 5 and 12 blk 23 O. P. Janesville, 9,000
Samuel M. Smith and wife to Sarah N. Barfoot, lots 18 and 19 E. Riverside Park add., lot 13, Highland, Janesville, \$1,000
Sarah N. Barfoot and husband to Samuel M. Smith, lot 25, Riverside Park add., Janesville, 2,800
Nelson P. Robinson to A. W. Shumway, pt. lot 12 blk 14, D. P. Edgerton, 750
Edwin Fife and wife to A. E. Matheson, lot 52, Whitehead, Matheson & Smith's add., Janesville, 250
Mrs. Catherine Reid to John H. Zimmerman, lot 1 blk 12, Merrill's add., ex. Beloit, 1,600
John H. Zimmerman and wife to Harry W. Parker, pt. lot 1 blk 12, Merrill's add., ex. Beloit, 800
Edward Higginson and wife to Louise C. Fife, lot 16 blk 6, Noggie's add., Beloit, 1,000
Wm. B. Strong and wife to Joseph Wase, lot 6 blk 1, Strong's 2nd add., Beloit, 250
Theresa W. App to V. P. Richardson et al., pt. lot 19, Willard's sub div Mitchell's addition, Janesville, 5,000
Zola S. Baldwin et al. to Alfred G. Winters, 3/4 sec 7, 1/2 sec 7, Union, 10 acres, 300
F. P. Schmitt, Jr. to Ada Cottrell, 1/2 sec 27, ex. Beloit, 300
Eliza Smith to F. August Richter, lot 1 blk 14, Rockport add., Janesville, 600
A. P. Burnham and wife to V. P. Richardson et al., strip 30 ft by 154 ft, s. side lot 19, Willard's sub div lot 1, Mitchell's addition, Janesville, 1,000
Sylvester House et al. to Chas. Jones, lots 2 and 9, Blackmer's sub div blk 9, Walker's add., Beloit, 700
Sylvester House et al. to Catharine Teall, lot 8, Blackmer's sub div blk 9, Walker's add., Beloit, 400
Edgar D. Bullock to Albert B. Gardner, lot 15, Swope & Bullock's, Beloit, 200
S. C. Chambers to Rosa E. Davis, lot 241, Spring Brook addition, Janesville, 250
Patrick W. Ryan & wife to I. C. Brownell, 1/2 lot 4, blk 9, Palmer & Sutherland's add., Janesville, 1,700
R. S. E. Davis to S. C. Chambers, lots 96 and 97, Morgan's add., W. Milton, 1,000
Michael Mulcahey to Matthew Mulcahey, 1/2 sec 24, 1/2 sec 25, 1/2 sec 26, Plymouth, 40 acres, 2,000
Edward F. Welch and wife to J. M. C. Keller, lot 4, O. B. Ford's sub div lot 23, Mitchell's add., Janesville, 1,750
Selma Pratt and wife to Henry Carleton, lots 22, 23, 24, blk 2, Flueckiger's addition, Beloit, 360
Henry Dickerson and wife to Rachel M. Clark, lot 4 blk 26, Swift's add., Edgerton, 725
E. C. Hopkins and wife to Samuel Hallett, lot 1 blk 3, Fulton Center; pt 1/4 sec 21, Fulton, 200
James Barrett to Lawrence Barrett, sec 1, 1/4 sec 10 Center, 1,000
James W. Wasson and wife to Wm. F. Lageman, lots 105, 106, 107 Carrington's Crown Add Janesville, 250
Louisa Carpenter to Phineas T. Nichols, lot 4 blk 72 Beloit Hopkins' survey, 2,450
Daniel W. Pound to James Barrett, 1/4 sec 25, 1/4 sec 26, 1/4 sec 27, Porter, 5,900
Fannie A. Conger to James E. Hume, lot 5 blk 8 Forest Park Add Janesville, 1,000
Ransom H. Whitehead and wife to Sarah E. Fitch, 1/4 sec 31, Plymouth; 1/4 sec 34 sec 26 Spring Valley, 2,100
Fred Sly and wife to Marshall E. Seymour, lot 7 blk 1 Blodgett & King's add. Beloit, 650
Minnie Fuller and husband to J. H. E. per, 1/4 sec 14, 1/4 sec 15, 1/4 sec 16, 1/4 sec 17, 1/4 sec 18, Spring Valley, 1,750
J. B. Dow and wife to Nela L. 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BRAW SCOTS IN INDIA

CHARGE OF THE GALLANT HEROES
AT DARGAI RIDGE.After the Native Column Had Been Cut
to Pieces and the English Repulsed the
Gordon Highlanders Carried the Height.
A Wounded Piper Urged on the Line.

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COTLAND'S heroes are not, like the men of another fighting race, open to the charge of doing brave battle for all countries but their own, yet for the sake of the glorious traditions handed down from the fields trodden by a Bruce, a Wallace, a Marmion, we may wish that the valor displayed by the highlanders in India the other day might make for the glory of old Scotia and none other. It was an Irish brigade that saved France at Fontenoy, and Englishmen alone rode with the Six Hundred into the jaws of death at Balaklava. The charge of the highlanders at Dargai ridge will pass into history as a parallel for those two brilliant exploits.

Judging from the good account given of the Gordon highlanders in past wars, where, as in the Spanish peninsula, they made good their watchword of "steadfast," and in the Indian mutiny won the synonym "Tigers," America is to be congratulated that her sons have never met this kilted clan. The regiment was organized after the close of the Revolution. There was a Scottish band at New Orleans, also called highlanders, veterans of the Spanish peninsula, too, and perhaps if Pakenham's entire army had emulated the valor of those brave fellows in charging the cotton bale line when it looked like a furnace of fire there would be a different story to tell of the last battle of the war of 1812.

As for the stirring affair at Dargai ridge it did not come about in a chance collision on the frontier. The British are in force in Afridland in strength of 30,000 troops, with more in reserve, and the Afrids opposing them can muster 75,000 well armed fighting men. But this is not all that makes the up hill work for Johnny Bull. The whole of Afridland is one stupendous natural fortification. Ridge follows ridge in quick succession, while the intervals are broken and impassable for an army. The affair at Dargai ridge was an incident in the advance of General Lockhart's column toward Sampaghi pass, which is 7,000 feet above the level. Not only is the pass by nature a difficult one, but the Afrids have strengthened it with earth and stone fortifications.

It was the comparatively insignificant pass of Chagru through Dargai ridge which brought on the encounter where the highlanders won glory. A column attempted to move through the pass when the Afrids, who had once abandoned the heights of Dargai ridge, on either side rushed to defend it. For three hours they stood the bombardment from the three British batteries and were not shaken. Then two British regiments and one of loyal natives went forward to turn the position. The Afrids opened a terrible long range fire especially upon the natives—Gurkas—as these brave fellows entered a zigzag path under the cliff. Firing also at long range the highlanders pushed through in support of the front line.

The Afrids commanded the entire field and swept it with a rain of bullets which no column could survive.

As the Gurkas climbed the base of the ridge a column of the enemy swung from the mountain around one flank. Three companies of the Gurkas kept moving forward in spite of terrible losses, and the remainder of the regiment turned to meet the flank attack. A regiment of Britons attempted to support the three companies of Gurkas who

all who should dare follow their footsteps must share the same fate.

This momentary paralysis of action was brought to an end by an electrifying spectacle at the front. A dark object was seen to tear itself away, as it were, from a ledge of rock and move backward toward the British lines. Soon it evolved into the form of a man running and leaping in a zigzag course along the pathway strewn with bodies and over which the bullets again began to pour from Afrid rifles on the hillside. It was the white commander of the Gurkas, Captain John Graham Robinson, who for a second time faced death in crossing that terrible zone. When he rushed up to the astounded general, his salute and explanation were as abrupt and naive as could be expected from a gallant fellow who had lived through a thousand close shaves the past three hours. Said he: "I have come back to take others across. There are not enough over there to do any good."

Orders were given first to the remainder of the Gurkas and then to the two white regiments in front to cross to support the gallant outpost. Then Captain Robinson started back to his command. He soon fell under a wound, from which he died. The advance of the Gurka reserve was a signal for another outburst of battle. The Afrids on the ridge again swept the interval with bullets. The Gurkas recoiled, as did also the Derbyshire and Dorsetshire regiments, which attempted to follow. The front ranks of these commands fell to a man the moment they started forward.

Last came the run of the Gordon highlanders, who had faced the fire at long range and lost many officers and men, but had not been in the fray as much as their comrades. The Scotchmen marched boldly to the edge of the depression which was just out of Afrid range, and while halted there for better formation saw before them the frowning ridge and defiant Afrid banners; at the base an indistinct mass of color, showing where the survivors of Captain Robinson's band still clung to their posts; between a shallow valley strewn with dead Gurkas and those of the Eng-



MAJOR JENNINGS-BRAMLEY.
CAPTAIN CLIFTON-SMITH. CAPTAIN JUDGE.
[Killed in the charge.]

lishmen who had tried to follow them toward the ridge. The halt there was of the briefest, and as the line stepped up to the mark Colonel Mathias said: "Men of the Gordon highlanders, our general says that position must be taken at all hazards. The Gordon highlanders will take it."

Then he shouted "Forward!" and the rush was like the rush of Napoleon and Lannes with the grenadiers at the bridge of Lodi. The belt of danger was narrow for the moment, and, dashing across that, there was no stopping the highlanders before they got under shelter of the foot ridge where the Gurkas' advance lay. While the highlanders stood in line for a moment the Afrids trained their rifles across the field, intending to sweep its farther edge the moment the line should march with British stolidity into the fire zone, but the killed northmen, cheered by the shrill pipes, were too quick for the savages.

Many fell on the way as it was, and the dead of those gone before were stumbled over and trampled upon, but the line never halted or looked back, not even on reaching Captain Robinson's lodgment under the cliff, and behind them came the rest of the Gurkas and the British commands that had fared unluckily all the day. The rush of the highlanders and their marvelous immunity from death frightened the superstitious Afrids, and when Colonel Mathias ordered his men at the base of the ridge to press on without a halt, the wounded and prostrate piper still playing the "Cock of the North" to cheer them on, the enemy, without attempting to resist, fled over the ridge and down the slope on the other side.

The loss of the highlanders was comparatively slight, but the few victims were shining marks. Colonel Mathias was wounded. He had seen 27 years of service in the campaigns in India and Africa. His first honors were won at the storming of Malakand pass in 1895. Major Jennings-Bramley was killed when the highlanders first advanced to the support of the Gurkas who led off in the attack. He had served in the army 18 years. Lieutenant Alexander Lamont was the youngest victim of the fight. He had joined the highlanders three years ago and was 25 years old when killed leading his company in the grand charge. Lamont belonged to a noted soldier family and was the sixth of that name and line who have fallen in England's battles during the century. The leader of the reserve companies of Gurkas, whom the highlanders so gallantly supported, Major Charles Belw Judge, was also killed. His grandfather, Major Judge, was killed in Afghanistan in 1840.

GEORGE L. KILMER.

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"I feel so miserable!"
"What's the matter?"
"Mrs. Robinson told me a secret today, and I've forgotten what it was."
—Flegende Blatter.

Another Clever Woman.

"My wife can tell what time it is in the middle of the night when it is pitch dark."

"How does she do it?"

"She makes me get up and look at the clock."—Chicago Record.

Beginning Early.

Bridegroom—Where shall we go, dearest, Niagara falls or Washington?
Bride—We might go to both places and see which we like best.—Brooklyn Life.

Got There First.

"My wife made an awful fuss last night because I was out so late."

"Why, it wasn't unusual, was it?"
"Oh, no. But she happened to be in when I got home."—Brooklyn Life.

Mean Insinuation.

He—I'd have you know my wife took a prize in a beauty show once!

She—Indeed! I didn't know they had a consolation prize in such exhibitions!—Yonkers Statesman.

He Was a Man of Worth.

Perry Patetic—What was the most you ever was worth?

Wayworn Watson—Lemme see! I think the biggest reward ever offered for me was \$50.—Odds and Ends.

Natural Solitude.

Maiden Aunt—Come, now, Gertie! run off and take your beauty-sleep.

Gertie—O, Auntie! hadn't you better come, too?—Puck.

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All claims against William F. Williams, late of the city of Janesville, in said county, deceased.

All such claims must be presented for allowance to said court, at the court house, in the city of Janesville, in said county, on or before the 18th day of July, A. D. 1898, or be barred.—Dated Jan. 18, 1898.

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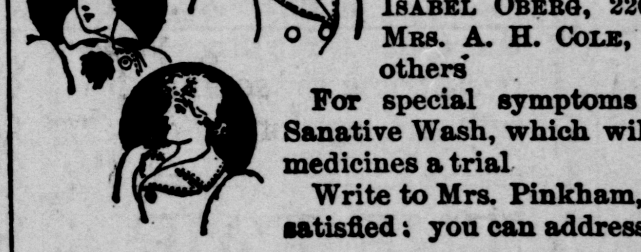
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1706—Benjamin Franklin born in Boston; died 1790.
1749—Victor Alfieri, Italian poet, born; died 1803.
1771—Charles Brockden Brown, noted early American novelist, born in Philadelphia; died 1810.
1781—Battle of the Cowpens.
1801—George Bancroft, historian, died at Washington; born 1801.
1808—General Rutherford Birchard Hayes, ex-president of the United States, died at Fremont, O.; born 1822.
1866—General Israel N. Stiles, a Union veteran prominent in public life in Chicago, died; born 1838. Colonel John Kean, founder and first president of the Central Railroad of New Jersey, died; born 1814.
1867—John Hanson Beadle, a widely known journalist and author, died at Rockville, Ind.; born 1840.

PAY BONDS IN SILVER

Senate Committee Reports the Teller Measure To Prevent Discrimination Between Metals

Washington, Jan. 18.—The Senate Finance committee, by a vote of eight to five today reported the Teller resolution making it incumbent on the government to pay U. S. bonds in gold without discrimination or favor of either metal.

The vote for the report stood Vest, Jones, of Arkansas, White, Walshall, Turpie and Daniel, democratic; Jones, of Nevada, silver republican and Wolcott, republican.

Those against the report were Morrill, Allison, Aldrich, Platt, of Connecticut, and Burrows.

SAY BOYS STOLE THE COAL

C. & N. W. Railroad Company Have Four Young Men Arrested.

Fred Blow, George Marshall, Herbert Roberts and Emil Baldinger were before the municipal court this morning charged with stealing \$1.50 worth of coal of the C. & N. W. railroad company. The accused are all under 16 years of age. Their trial is set for Saturday, Jan. 29, at 10 a. m.

Customer—I want some tramp cider. Grocer—What do you mean? Customer—Cider that hasn't worked, of course.—Detroit Free Press.

Why She Accepted Him.
"So you have accepted Fred?"
"Yes; he said he wouldn't marry me if I didn't."—Town Topics.

Putting It Indirectly.
Inski—Look here; is it you that has been circulating the report that I hadn't washed my face in seven years?
Sinski—No. All I said was that if a mosquito wanted to tackle you he'd have to carry a shovel.—Indianapolis Journal.

Trying to Be Smart.
"I know a man who can tell the time to a second without looking at a clock."
"How does he do it?"
"He looks at his watch."—Chicago Record.

Apt Suggestion.
Lady (apparently very nervous at bargain counter)—Oh, dear! I can't think of what I want.
Aftable Clerk—You'd better go to the notion counter, madam.—Philadelphia Call.

Unfortunate, Indeed.
"It's too bad they didn't have judges in Adam's time."
"Why?"

"Think of the trouble he might have saved by getting an injunction to restrain the angel from driving him out of the garden of Eden."—Chicago News.

Appreciated Their Power.
"Yes," said the hardware man, "it makes me nervous to hear that a wheelman has punctured his tire."
"How is that?"
"I'm always expecting that some member of the confraternity will inaugurate a movement to prohibit the manufacture of tacks."—Town Topics.

A Cheering Motto.
Peddler—Wouldn't you like some mottoes for your house, mum? It's very cheerful to a husband to see a nice motto on the wall when he comes home.

Mrs. De Jagg—You might sell me one if you've got one that says "Better Late Than Never."—N. Y. Weekly.

Earthquake in Italy.
London, Jan. 18.—A special dispatch from Rome says there was a severe earthquake shock at Argenta, eighteen miles southeast of Ferrara. A church and several buildings were wrecked and several persons were injured.

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Public Meeting Discusses the Proposed Furniture Factory Plan.

A committee consisting of P. J. Mount, W. T. Vankirk, Pliny Norcross and A. P. Lovejoy was appointed to solicit subscriptions for stock in the new company to reorganize the Hall furniture concern, at the meeting held last evening. The committee met and report at a meeting to be held at the council chamber on Friday evening of this week, at 7:30 o'clock.

The plan of the proposed organization was submitted at the meeting. It contemplates the manufacture of cheap chamber suite, the same to be sold by the traveling men for the Hanson Furniture Company. Four thousand dollars is necessary to carry the scheme through, and the committee will make an effort to raise that sum.

The meeting was held at the council chamber. P. J. Mount was chairman. John Barlass and A. E. Bingham explained the details of the plan. Capt. W. T. Vankirk endorsed the idea, saying that he had backed it liberally and would put in more money if it was needed. F. M. Marzuff made a plea for an enterprising spirit and said that Janesville's good reputation for manufactured articles should be maintained and extended. Capt. Pliny Norcross also spoke, saying that he would invest in the new project if only to show his good will.

Mr. Bingham said he was at the Hall factory when it was built and for the first four years that it was operated. The plant with the machinery cost \$40,000. It was equipped with a hundred horse power engine and two sixty horse power boilers. The boiler settings were put in new last March and the boilers had never been started up since. The plant could be bought for fifty cents on the dollar. All that was needed was sufficient capital with which to operate. There was a stock of manufactured goods on hand worth six or seven thousand dollars. Eight thousand dollars in new stock would give \$15,000 working capital. The stock of goods on hand could be converted into money within sixty or ninety days. This would give them more than the Hanson company had for working capital and more than the Hall company had when it started. There was a demand for the goods. The money could be turned over many times a year, and the goods were sold on small margins. Between forty and fifty hands could be given steady employment. The new company would simply have to assume the bonds. All they wanted was enough to make a working capital. He thought the best plan was to appoint two committees, one on each side of the river, to make a canvass and see what they could do. It was hard to get men out to such a meeting. They feel that they have no money with which to buy stock. He had subscribed for some stock but was willing to do better.

Mr. Barlass said the Hall factory was one of the best in the state. If it was recapitalized they could manufacture a stock of furniture that would go with the Hanson stock and be sold by their men. The goods could thus be sold cheaper and advertised more successfully, and the factory could not help but make money. Mr. Barlass said the furniture business was better than it had been at any time during the past five years. While at Rockford recently he learned that the furniture factories of that city were working ten, twelve and fifteen hours a day to fill their orders. The outlook for the future was also very good.

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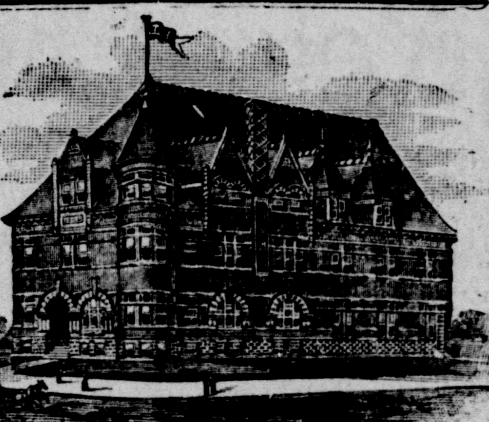
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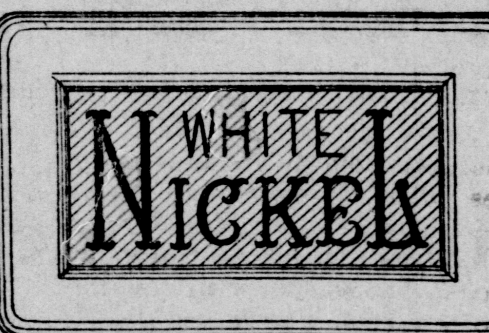
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Yard wide, soft finish, Bleached Muslin, 5c.

42-inch Pillow Case Muslin, 9c.

10-4 best quality Bleached Sheetting, 18c.

H. HOFFMASTER & SON.

18 South Main Street.

Special Sale Of... Children's Suits...

'Most every boy needs new Clothing and there is no reason why he should not have it.

Commencing Tomorrow Morning, January 19th : : : :

We will reduce the price on every Child's and Boy's Suit in our Children's department.

SALE . TO . LAST . TWO . DAYS.

Knee Pant Suits:

\$2.00 Suits reduced to	-	\$1.15.
\$2.50 Suits reduced to	-	\$1.75.
\$3.00 Suits reduced to	-	\$2.00.
\$4.00 Suits reduced to	-	\$2.75.
\$5.00 Suits reduced to	-	\$3.50.

Long Pant Suits:

\$5.00 Suits reduced to	-	\$3.50.
\$6.00 Suits reduced to	-	\$4.00.
\$7.00 Suits reduced to	-	\$5.25.
\$8.00 Suits reduced to	-	\$6.00.
\$9.00 Suits reduced to	-	\$7.00.
10 00 Suits reduced to	-	\$7.75.

This is a chance to dress the boys at remarkably low prices. All we have got to say is: You had better come early. The above prices mean any Boy's or Child's Suit in our store excepting Clay Worsteds which are staple goods.

T. J. ZEIGLER.

E. J. SMITH, M'gr. Main & Milwaukee Streets.

WATCHES!

... For Everybody. ...

The largest and best assorted stock ever shown in the city. Our connection with the time service of the C. & N. W. Ry. and C. M. & St.

P. Ry. places us in a position to secure lower figures on Watches than others. We share the benefit with you.

Our Thirty Day Clearing Sale brings Watches down to remarkably low prices



WE GIVE A FEW WATCH PRICES:

17 Jewel, American movement, 14 kt. gold filled case, guaranteed 20 years.	\$18 25	14 kt. gold filled case, 15 jewel American movement Ladies' Watch.....	15 75
11 Jewel American movement, gold filled case, guaranteed 15 years..	10 00	18 kt. gold filled Ladies' Watch, warranted 15 years, 7 jewel movement....	12 00
15 Jewel American movement, silver ore case.....	9 25	Boys' good reliable Watch.....	4 00
		Large number of good, reliable, Gents' Watches, for.....	4 to \$10

Prices last only during the Special Sale. It continues but a few days more. People interested in securing good Watches or Jewelry at lowest prices ever known to Janesville should not miss this opportunity.

F. C. COOK & CO.

OPPOSITE POST OFFICE. JANESVILLE, WIS

ARGUE ZILLEY CASE IN SUPREME COURT

THE LITIGATION IS NOW
NEAR AN END.

Claim For Maintenance of a Son Is the Issue, and the Matter Has Been Passed Upon By Both County and Circuit Courts Of Rock County.

Whether or not Mary A. Zilley will receive from the Zilley estate the sum of \$1444 for the support and maintenance of the boy, Clarence A. Zilley, from July 9, 1889, to Jan. 13, 1895, is a question that the supreme court of Wisconsin is now to decide. This now celebrated case has passed through both the county and circuit courts of Rock county. After several months of litigation it is now nearing an end, the final arguments having been made by Attorneys William Ruger and B. F. Dunwiddie at Madison yesterday.

The respondent, Mary A. Zilley and August Zilly, deceased, were married September 26, 1867, and were divorced by the Rock Co. court, December 29, 1884, in an action brought by Mrs. Zilley, on the grounds of cruel and inhuman treatment. They had two children.

Nothing whatever is said in the decree as to the maintenance and support of either of the children.

Was Married Again.

Some two or three years subsequent to the granting of the divorce, the deceased was married to Martha Zilley, who survives him as his widow.

The deceased, August Zilley, at the time of the divorce, resided in the city of Beloit, and continued to reside there after the divorce, and for some two or three years after his second marriage in all some four years, when he moved onto his farm, near the city of Beloit, where he continued to reside until the time of his death, which occurred March 7, 1895.

About the time the boy became ten years of age, the deceased, August Zilley, applied to the claimant for the boy to go and live with him, but she refused to allow him to go. Thereupon he told her that if the child could not come and stay with him, he would not pay for his keeping; that he was willing to pay his schooling and give him a home with him, which was where he belonged, as he understood

Father Wanted Son.

Subsequently Mr. Zilley tried frequently to get the boy to live with him but claimant would never consent. The boy continued to make his home with the claimant down to the 1st of January, when his father sent him to Fairbault, Minnesota, to school. At intervals the boy would go to his father's house for a few weeks or months at a time, where everything was done that could be done to induce him to stay. The mother's influence, however, was such as to cause him to return to her and made his permanent home with her in Beloit for the greater portion of the time.

August Zilley, died testate on the 7th day of March, 1895. By his will after the payment of his debts, funeral charges and expenses of administration, he gave to his wife, Martha Zilley, the use of certain property in Beloit, during life, with the remainder over to his daughter by his second wife, Edna Zilley. He also gave Edna \$4,000 in money out of his personal estate.

Other Bequests.

To the boy Clayton, he gave \$8,000 in cash, and a farm at Beloit appraised at \$6,000.

To his son, William A. Zilley, who is also the son of the claimant, he gave a farm near Beloit appraised at \$15,000, subject however, to the payment of \$2,000 to the boy Clayton.

The residue of his estate he devised equally between his widow, Martha Zilley, and his three children above named.

The appraised value of the estate left by him was \$49,890. His indebtedness including real estate mortgages on one of the farms was something upwards of \$3,000.

No claim was ever made upon August Zilley in his life time by the respondent, for anything furnished by her to the boy Clayton and no application was ever made by her or August Zilley to the court in the divorce proceedings for any modification or change of the decree therein, either as to the custody, or the support and maintenance of the boy Clayton.

After the notice to file claims against the estate of August Zilley had been given, the respondent, Mary A. Zilley filed a claim against his estate for the sum of \$1444 for the support and maintenance of the boy, Clayton A. Zilley from July 9, 1889 to Jan. 13, 1895.

The Court's Decision.

On the hearing in the county court, Judge John W. Sale disallowed the claim of the respondent in toto. The respondent thereupon took an appeal to the circuit court and on a trial before Judge Bennett, her claim was allowed at the sum of \$1218.50. From the judgment rendered in the circuit court, an appeal is taken to this court, by the guardian ad litem of two minor children of said deceased, viz: Clayton A. Zilley, who is a son of claimant and the girl Edna Zilley, who is a daughter by the second wife.

Notice:

All parties indebted to the recent firm of Crossett & Bonesteel, agents, please call and settle before Jan. 20, as the business must be settled up.

W. H. BONESTEEL, Agent.

TERSE TALES OF THE TOWN

WILL C. FREE in Chicago.
MONEY to loan. S. D. Grubb.
CEDAR wash tubs 54c. Lowell-Leader stock.
STATEMENTS \$1 a thousand at Gazette job rooms.
FINE swing razor strop 15c. Lowell-Leader stock.
CEDAR water pails 18c. Lowell-Leader stock.
FINE gold Elgin watch \$5.25. Lowell-Leader stock.

CALIFORNIA prunes only 5 cents a pound at Sanborn's.
FANCY dressed chickens only 9 cents a pound at Sanborn's.
FINE two blade steel pocket knife 25c. Lowell-Leader stock.
ALL clamp steel skates to close 25c pair. Lowell-Leader stock.
FINEST quality of kalamine 3 1/2 a pound. Lowell-Leader stock.
OSTERS in bulk in the only oyster refrigerator in the city. Sanborn.
EARLY June sweet peas, 10 cents a can, three cans for 25 cents. Sanborn.

WHITE Owl sweet corn only 7 cents a can. This brand is especially fine. Sanborn.
If you wish a choice table delicacy, try Tremain preserved blackberries, only 10 cents a can.

FANCY California prunes, regular price 3 lbs. for 25 cents, only 5c per pound at Sanborn's.
SHREDDED pineapples are better than sliced or grated fruit, we have them 25 cts. a can. Sanborn.

MRS. O. D. STEVENS and Mrs. E. O. Johnson will entertain the Bon Ami club Thursday at a Klondike tea.

An oyster supper will be served by the ladies of Court Street church in the church parlors from 5 to 7 o'clock.

THE Eastern Star order will hold a social Wednesday evening, Jan. 19, for Masons and their families, at Liberty Hall.

WHOLESALE price of Tremain preserved blackberries is today \$1.35. We sell them at 10 cents a can. Sanborn.

YOUR choice of any cloak in our store at \$9.87. Come and see the values these figures represent. T. P. Burns.

TRILBY yellow table peaches, 10 cents a can, three cans for 25 cents. These peaches are of the choicest. Sanborn.

NUMEROUS friends surprised William Welch at his Gold street home, Saturday evening and spent a most pleasant evening.

NOTICE—All those knowing themselves indebted to the firm of Trulson & Peterson will please call and settle at the same stand.

OUR winter cloaks are moving very rapidly at reduced prices. We have reduced our cloaks to \$2.92, \$5.69 and \$9.69. T. P. Burns.

OWING to the continued warm weather we will make fancy dairy butter 18 cents a pound for the next few days. Sanborn.

THE Ladies' Aid society of Court Street church will meet for work on Friday at 2 p. m. with Mrs. C. E. Brown, 6 North Wisconsin street.

GEORGE RAMBOLT of Avon, collected \$10 from the county, for killing a wolf, yesterday. Rambolt saw two wolves while hunting small game, but one of them escaped.

THE Olinosopic club will meet tomorrow evening, with Miss Lou Carpenter. Miss Fannie Ryckman will be the leader, and the subject will be "The Lutheran Church."

JOSEPH H. MAGUIRE, amateur champion oarsman of America, whose portrait appeared in yesterday's Chicago Chronicle, is a first cousin of Captain Thomas Abbott of the fire department.

FLORENCE Camp No. 366 M. W. of A. will give a social dance at west side Old Fellows' hall, Wednesday evening, Jan. 19. Good music and a good time. Admission 35 cents.

URIAH SWEET, the defendant in the breach of promise suit has retained the best legal talent to be found in the state to defend him and the case will be tried at the special term of the superior court to be held Jan. 28.

ENGINEER W. H. Brazzel is much worried because of the sudden disappearance of his favorite Newfoundland dog. Whether or not the canine has been stolen and shipped to the Klondike or poisoned is still a mystery.

A MEETING of the Janesville Shooting club will be held at the Angle worm club rooms, Thursday evening, at 8 o'clock. All members are requested to be present as business of importance is to be considered. P. H. Rump, President.

M. E. McHENRY, the well known Freeport horseman, was in town today, in company with O. F. Potter, completing arrangements for opening a board of trade branch, next Thursday, in the Myers block on the bridge. They will have a private wire in direct connection with Schwartz, Dupee & Company, of Chicago. Both Mr. McHenry and Mr. Potter have many warm friends in Janesville who will wish them success.

PASSED OVER THE BORDER

Funeral of George W. Hall.

The funeral of George W. Hall was held from the family home on Prospect avenue yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. H. W. Thompson officiating and the interment was at Oak Hill. The pall bearers were John Kelly, John Smith, Michael McOne, Charles McKeene, Hugh Miller and Fred Lawson. Among the floral pieces was a handsome sheaf and sickle presented by the labor union.

SAY MRS. HYER FELL FROM LOAD OF OATS

E. P. WIXOM'S TESTIMONY IN
DAMAGE SUIT.

Said the Woman Who Is Suing the City Told Him About the Injury She Received in That Manner, After the Alleged Fall On the Janesville Sidewalk.

The damage suit of Virginia Hyer vs. the City of Janesville was set for today in the circuit court at Madison. Sensational developments are expected, which will tend to show, it is said, that if Mrs. Hyer was injured by falling on the sidewalk in front of the Mrs. E. Iza Burpee residence at the corner of Pleasant and Franklin streets it was not the only accident that she had met with. It is said that she also received injuries as the result of a fall from a load of oats onto a pile of stone.

Elijah P. Wixom, who resides at 153 Milton avenue, was among the witnesses who left this morning for Madison. He is the man who will swear in behalf of the City of Janesville that Mrs. Hyer told him herself, several weeks after her alleged fall in this city, of the injury she received by falling from a load of oats.

According to Mr. Wixom, the plaintiff, Mrs. Hyer, rented a portion of his farm in the town of Fulton and there lived with her husband. According to Mr. Wixom, the plaintiff, several weeks after her alleged injury in this city, told him one day, of how she was badly injured and of how she barely escaped being killed by being accidentally thrown from a load of oats that she and her husband were bringing to town in a lumber wagon. She is quoted as saying that at the time, they were driving down a steep hill, and that in falling, she struck on a pile of rocks that laid by the side of the road, injuring her so that she felt the effects for some time.

George W. Wise, the photographer, was also among the witnesses who went to Madison this morning. His testimony will be in reference to photographs taken of the walk at the time of the alleged fall.

Mrs. Eliza Burpee, in front of whose home the accident is alleged to have taken place, will testify as to the condition of the walk.

Dr. W. H. Judd and Dr. Q. O. Sutherland were in Madison today, and will testify in the case.

City Attorney McElroy and Fred C. Burpee are representing the city.

Another Case Decided.

At Madison yesterday the judgment of the lower courts favoring the plaintiff was confirmed by the supreme court in the case of Tiechman vs. Nelson.

This case which has been in the courts for the past twenty years was the result of a suit for collection commenced by the St. Louis grain commission firm for disposing of grain for the former local grain firm of Nelson & Clark.

They sued Nelson to recover for commission not paid by Clark. Dunwiddie & Wheeler of this city appeared for the plaintiff.

SURPRISE ON CON M'DONALD

Odd Fellows Pay Him a Visit in Honor of His Birthday.

The members of Odd Fellows Lodge No. 90 and their wives very successfully planned and carried out a surprise on Con McDonald last evening at his East Milwaukee street home. A very pleasant evening was spent in card playing, followed by a bountiful repast. The following ladies and their better halves were among those who were present:

Mr. and Mrs.—
C. J. Blakely, Otto Knip,
C. Stanton, C. E. Brown,
Charles Schwartz, William Parish,
William Parker, Perry Turnbaugh,
George Ercanbrack, L. Davy,
Robert Pickering.

Messdames—
Josephine Hankey, Elizabeth Madden,
Nellie Boylen, Turnbaugh,
Misses—
Etta Brown, Anna Schmidley,
Bertha Schmidley.

Messrs—
Hill, Whistler,
Clarence Brown, Willie Parish.

TO OPEN DEPARTMENT STORE

Stoughton Enterprise Planned at Meeting Held in This City.

In room 23 at the Grand hotel in this city yesterday was held a secret business session which resulted in the formation of the Stoughton Department Store company. James Terry, of Brodhead, was chosen president, while Mr. Crupp, of Brodhead, and Messrs. Oleson and Wesby of Edgerton were also chosen as officers. The object of this newly organized company according to one of the members, is to conduct a large department store in Stoughton.

A POST OFFICE ESTABLISHED

Congressman Cooper Provides For Mail Facilities at "Willowdale."

A new Rock county post office has been established through the efforts of Hon. H. A. Cooper. It is on the Center road, four miles west of Janesville, and will be known as Willowdale. John Brinkman, who runs the general store at Willowdale Corners, has been appointed postmaster. He has filled out his bond and returned it to Washington. The new post office will be served by mail carriers from this city.

THE Ladies' Aid Society of the Baptist church will hold its annual business meeting in the church parlors Wednesday afternoon at two o'clock. A full attendance is desired.

NEWS OF A PERSONAL NATURE.

ALEX GALBRAITH has returned from St. Paul.

R. B. HEIMSTREET was called to Madison.

PROF. D. D. Mayne today visited Madison.

REV. J. E. HANLIN was down from Edgerton.

N. J. ROSE, of Beloit had business here today.

W. T. VANKIRK had business in Clinton today.

MAX PFENNIG was in Madison on business today.

MISS ANNA BROWN, of Beloit, spent the day in town.

J. M. SHACKELTON was taking flour orders today in Monroe.

CHARLES DOYNE, of Crookston, Minn., is the guest of local friends.

Mrs. Anna Cota of Highland Park, Ill., is visiting local friends.

Mrs. JAMES P. GAGE of Milton Junction, was in town today.

E. T. FISH spent the day in Madison figuring on a moving contract.

A. J. THOMPSON, of Beloit, attended the dancing party last evening.

SAMUEL B. OLEMONS will play for a party this evening in Magnolia.

LUCIAN DUFFIN, of Whitewater, was the guest today of H. Kirk White.

W. H. WELCH and family left last evening for Missouri Valley, Iowa.

SMILEY MILFORD, now of the Hotel Carlton, Edgerton, was in town today.

FRED HANCHETT was in Whitewater today to attend the Coe-Parsons wedding.

Mrs. Henry McKey of Chicago, has been spending the past few days in town.

Rev. John J. Collins has returned from a pleasant visit with friends in Edgerton.

CHARLES DOW, of Madison was the guest of Hon. and Mrs. W. B. Wheeler yesterday.

MR. and Mrs. Frank Sayre of Fulton, were here to attend the dancing party last evening.

DR. R. L. BROWN was called to Edgerton, today, in consultation with the local veterinarian of that place.

Mrs. Bridget Rooney of La Prairie, left, yesterday, for Miescurei, where she will spend a month with her son, William Rooney.

W. W. CARGILL, the well known grain dealer, was in town today, and looked over the local elevator. Mr. Cargill was accompanied by Walter Guinzine, who represents the Cargill firm at Green Bay.

NICHOLAS KRABLE, a former local meat dealer, arrived in the city last evening direct from Alexian Bros' hospital, Chicago, and is the guest of O. M. Fleck and family. Mr. Kremble recently underwent a difficult operation made necessary by a fall.

CALVIN TAKEN INTO COURT

Charge Against Him May Be Modified By the Authorities.

James Calvin, the Jude young man who is charged, with trying to dispose of a rig in Beloit belonging to Joshua Orall & Son of this city, was taken to Beloit this morning by Officer George Appleby for a hearing before Justice Booth. Attorney William Bates appeared for the prisoner and the case was adjourned until next Thursday. It is said that the charge against the accused may be made a much lighter one and that he may soon regain his liberty.

TO PASS THE CROWD

All Cannot Be Brilliant No Matter How Healthy

It probably comes to every thoughtful person at times that there are plenty of common, mediocre people, and that if one determines to be or she can press to the front, pass the crowd, and win position, fame and gold. It is largely a matter of determination and health. Many a determined character with brilliant possibilities, is held back by ill health. Some find that bright, keen thoughts refuse to come to their brains, and wonder why.

The kind of brain work that makes successful merchants, lawyers, doctors, authors, etc., etc., makes heavy draughts on the filling of the minute nerve cells of the body, said filling being composed of a greyish sort of material which must be replaced day by day, or the brain and other parts of the body will not act properly.

Coffee is a hidden but powerful enemy to one's progress in life. Its subtle, narcotic poison, weakens heart, interferes with digestion and has a definite and destructive effect on the nervous system. People who are content to load themselves with impediments to progress, who refuse to supply body with food and drink of the kind needed to make up for the daily disintegration of the nerve and tissue, must stand aside in the race for pre-eminence.

The ones who are properly fed, will surely win the laurels. Postum Food Coffee furnishes the gluten and phosphates of grain needed by nature to nourish brain and nerves with food. It does not narcotize and tear down. It is frequently misjudged on first trial, because of improper preparation, but it will be found to be a most delicious beverage if, after boiling commences, it be allowed to continue boiling for 15 minutes. This is necessary to extract the food value and flavor.

There are those who are entirely careless as to what goes into the stomach, but the one who would make all his movements tend towards health and possible greatness, cannot afford to risk adulterated food or drink or even coffee.

HARRY NOEL THROWN IN FRONT OF TRAIN

C. & N. W. BRAKEMAN HAS
CLOSE CALL.

Fell From the Car Top When the Air Brakes Were Suddenly Applied, and Was Only Saved By a Hair's Breadth—At Oshkosh Hospital.

Harry Noel, the C. & N. W. brakeman, had a close call at Fond du Lac and came near losing his life.

Mr. Noel was standing upon the top of a box car of the train when suddenly the air brakes were put on, bringing the train to an abrupt stop. The reaction was so great that the brakeman was hurled from the car to the track in front of the train. The front car came to a standstill only a couple of feet from the prostrate man, thus saving him from the cruel wheels. Mr. Noel was taken to the Oshkosh hospital. It is not known as yet how severely he was injured in the fall, other than a number of sprains and bruises about the limbs and face.

INSURANCE COMPANY MEETS

Citizen Mutual Holds Its Annual Session Last Evening.

Last evening the Citizens' Mutual Fire Insurance Company held its annual meeting and the report of the secretary as sent to the insurance commissioner showed that over \$255,000 of insurance was in force, written in less than eight months. The policy holders had saved on their own policies well on to \$1,200, besides thousands of dollars in addition for themselves and others in Southern Wisconsin on account of the 20 per cent. drop of rates of stock companies on all business risks within past four days before they were ready to begin and on October 9, 20 per cent. drop on all private dwellings. They would probably be carrying \$550,000 had this change in rates not come around. Would it not be well to show your appreciation of this Home Co's. work by carrying some of your insurance with them. You will be perfectly safe. Office 38 South Main street.

CHICAGO MARKET REPORT

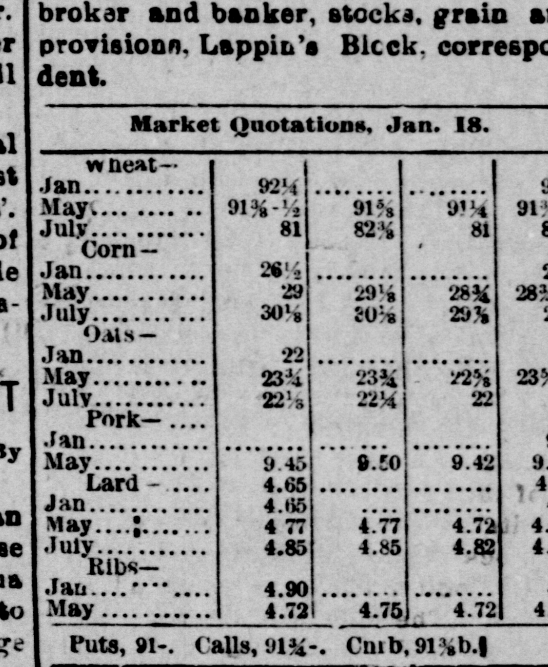
Furnished by William C. Crolins, broker and banker, stocks, grain and provisions, Leppin's Block, correspondent.

Market Quotations, Jan. 18.

wheat—	92 1/4	91 1/4	92 1/4
Jan.	91 1/4	91 1/4	91 1/4
May.	81	82 1/4	81
July.	81	82 1/4	81
(corn—)			
Jan.	26 1/4	26 1/4	26 1/4
May.	29	29 1/4	28 3/4
July.	30 1/4	30 1/4	29 1/4
Oats—			
Jan.	22	22 1/4	22
May.	23 1/4	23 1/4	23 1/4
July.	22 1/4	22 1/4	22 1/4
Pork—			
Jan.	9 45	9 45	9 30
May.	9 45	9 45	9 45
Lard—	4 65	4 65	4 62
Jan.	4 65	4 65	4 65
May.	4 77	4 77	4 75
July.	4 85	4 85	4 82
Ribs—			
Jan.	4 80	4 80	4 85
May.	4 72	4 75	4 72

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Ladies' heavy cotton, fleece lined Vests and Pants, 35c; reduced to 10c. 50c quality reduced to 33c.

75c wool Vests and Pants now 59c.

\$1.00 heavy camel hair Vests and Pants 85c.

\$1.50 extra fine natural wool Vests and Pants now \$1.18.

\$1.50 heavy black wool Vests \$1.20.

Heavy fleece lined Combination Suits worth 50c and \$1.00, now 39c and 79c.

Children's heavy grey Vests and Pants from 10c to 25c.

Fine natural Vests and Pants from 20c to 50c.

Children's black wool Tights from 50c to 98c.

Outing flannel Night Robes for children from 2 to 16 years, at 42c, 50c, 60c.

Ladies' 75c outing flannel Night Robes now 59c.

\$1.00 quality for 89c.

Extra size Gowns at 98c.

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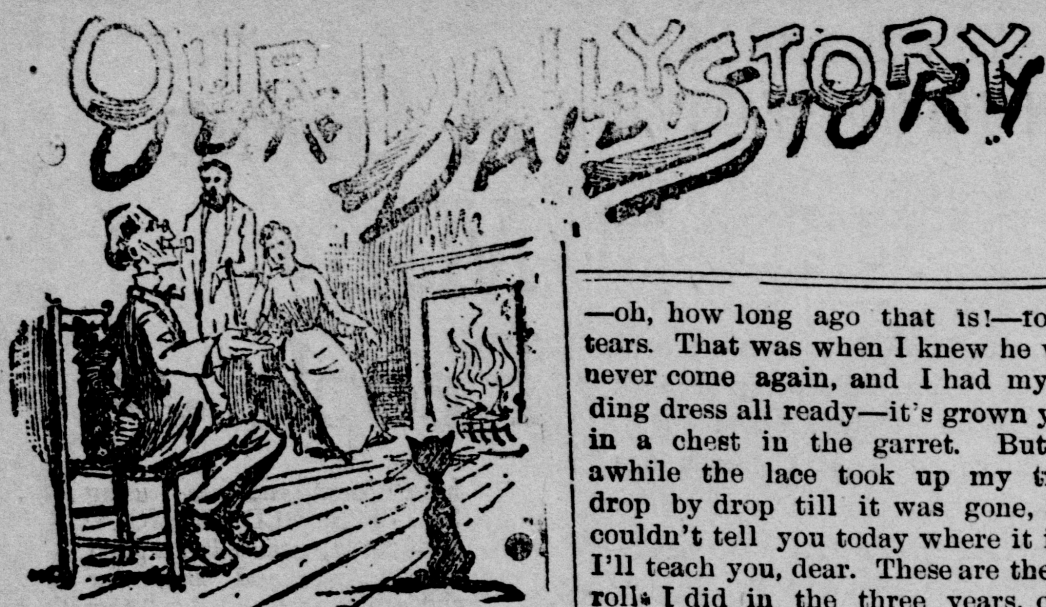
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MISS FAITH'S ADVICE.

Miss Faith sat in close companionship, as usual, with her familiar spirit, a piece of crocheted edging. Her touch upon the mazes of tangled thread was very gentle, even endearing, and her look of content as she held it up and noted its effect as a whole seemed vastly out of proportion to the cause. Miss Faith was still pretty, with the pathetic beauty held as flotsam from the wreck of years. Her hair was prettier as silver than it had ever been as brown, and her eyes, though they had lost their vivid glow and eagerness, had gained a kindly sympathy. Her tenderness had even extended to the crocheting in her hand and imparted something to that usually very impersonal object that her fancy had fretted into thinking a response. She passed her hand affectionately over it now, as the figure of a pineapple, much conventionalized, repeating itself like history again and again, fell in scallops to the floor. "It's most done," she thought. "I can go back to the oak leaf pretty soon."

A change in the crochet pattern was the chief diversion of Faith's life, that ran on as monotonously to the observer as the tune of the famous harper who played upon only one string. To an ant the coming of a stick or a stone may be a great event. It is not hard to understand how a life that consists in taking infinite pains with many little things may get its sips of excitement, interest and novelty from a change in a pattern of crochet. The examination of the work appeared to be satisfactory, and Faith laid it on the table at her side. This table was devoted to the uses of her art, nor was ever profaned by the presence of any irrelevant substance. There were rows of spools upon it, drawn up in lines like soldiers ready to receive an attack, hooks of various sizes lying like weapons by their side and various rolls of lace, the finished product of their warfare. Faith regarded them with approval, but her hand that had lain upon the table fell away from the accustomed task, and she sat idle, watching the red coal, the shadows the lamplight threw upon the carpet and listening to the clatter that Mary, her maid of all work, was making as a part of the dishwashing.

"It's a kind of jugglery she goes through with those dishes," thought Faith regretfully, "a sleight of hand performance, to see how many tricks she can do before one of them will break." But her face did not cloud, for she had learned resignation. She had surrendered to Mary the dishes and all the rest of the household divinities that she had served so deftly and carefully for years that she might be more at leisure to while away her time in her own innocent fashion.

She wondered, as she sat staring dully at the blaze, how the crocheting had come to mean so much to her and could not think for the instant, then half remembered, saddened a little, lost the thread of memory again, recovered it and fell to musing, her elbow resting on the table, her cheek in her palm. She could hardly believe now that a certain few years of her life had ever really happened. They must have belonged to some other and wandered willfully into her own, for there was no home for them in hers or likeness unto anything they brought. Was it so? They had gone so utterly, so completely, and she was happy now in her own harmless way, far inland, out of all reach of storm and reef. She was still looking vaguely, half wistfully, at the fire when her doorbell rang and some one had entered the room and was hurrying to her side.

"Aunt Faith," said a girlish, tremulous voice, "I've come to ask you to help me. Mother said you had suffered like this once and you had learned to forget, and I thought perhaps you could show me the way."

Faith looked down upon the slight figure crouched there, sobbing, and laid her hand gently upon the brown head, but she did not understand about the suffering.

"What is it, Grace?" she asked. "Oh, it's Phil!" she cried. "He doesn't care for me any more. He's taking Jennie Thompson now, and I can't bear it. Mother said other women had to bear such things, but she'd always been happy, and I could come to you. You could help me," she said, looking up appealingly. "You could teach me to forget."

"Yes," said Faith slowly. Then it came back to her, all her own little story, and a dim, broken memory of the first heartache and her own longing to forget.

"Poor little girl," whispered Faith, stroking the beautiful mass of tangled hair. "How was it I learned to forget! Let me think. Yes, I remember now. Wait a minute, dear. I will show you." Faith slipped out of the room and soon returned, bringing three rolls of very broad crocheted lace.

"Can you crochet, Grace?"

"Not very much," said Grace, wonderingly.

"Well, I will teach you. This is the way I learned to forget. The needle slips in and out, and the sunlight and firelight shine on it, and the lace grows and is so pretty, and it brings comfort. When I began, I couldn't see the needle

—oh, how long ago that is!—for the tears. That was when I knew he would never come again, and I had my wedding dress all ready—it's grown yellow in a chest in the garret. But after awhile the lace took up my trouble drop by drop till it was gone, and I couldn't tell you today where it is. So I'll teach you, dear. These are the three rolls I did in the three years, one for each. They're yellow now, you see."

Faith opened one and spread it out. It was an intricate pattern, very broad. "It's hard to do," she said, "but that is all the better for the forgetting. If I'd been a man, I should have gone away to Africa. I've often thought it would do a good deal toward making a body forget to see the sun falling down like a ball and the dark come as if somebody had blown out the light. But I couldn't very well, so I learned to crochet. I never gave the lace away, you see, because I had worked my trouble into it, and I was afraid. I thought a long time about it when Alice was married, but I was afraid it would some way make her sad when she wore it. So it's all here. This is the first year's—you see I've numbered it one—and this is the second's and this the third's. There's the three."

Faith handled the rolls over and over, lost for a minute in the associations which they revived. Her niece seemed to have forgotten her own grief for the time and was observing her aunt curiously as she bent over the lace.

"That's a fern pattern," said Faith. "It's very pretty." Faith sat silent for a time, smoothing out the creases of the lace and drawing it out to its length. It seemed to have the effect of an enchanter's wand, for it summoned old faces and scenes at will, and Faith grew blind to the little room and the needs of her guest. At last Grace moved impatiently.

"Yes, yes," said Faith, like one awaking, "to forget. This is the way. Here is the old pattern. I will teach you."

She bustled about, finding thread and needle, seated herself at Grace's side, drew the thread through her fingers and began her work.

"There," she said after a minute. "Do you see how it's done? It isn't hard. Try it."

Grace took the needle helplessly. "Do you think I could forget so, aunt?" she asked hesitatingly.

"I did," said Faith. Grace had returned to her task and made one or two awkward motions with the needle when there came a ring at the door.

"It's Phil!" exclaimed Grace, springing up.

"Grace!" said the recreant lover, standing awkwardly by the door, after Aunt Faith had admitted him and had retreated toward her chair. There were shame and pleading in his voice.

Grace caught her hat and went to him without another word.

"We'll try the crocheting some other time, Aunt Faith," said Grace. Then seeing her aunt's half dazed expression, as if she hardly understood this new development of affairs, she ran back and kissed her. Grace's face bore no trace of sadness as she turned to Phil, and they went out chatting merrily.

Faith listened till the last footfall on the crust had died away, then carefully rolled up the lace.

"She thinks she's happier," thought Faith, "but I'm not so sure. A man's heart is uncertain property, but a crocheted needle," as she laid her hand approvingly upon those on the table, "is always the same."—Springfield Republican.

Nursed His Wrath.

He was a Bath boy, who, when 13 or 14 years old, went to sea as cook on a fishing schooner. One morning he had the misfortune to burn some mackerel which he was frying, and the captain was so angered at this failure of his breakfast that he took one of the burned fish from the platter and slung it across the table into the boy cook's face.

The boy nursed his wrath until with full fare the fisher boat was tied to her pier in the home dock, when he packed his kit, went ashore, and from the wharf made this little speech to the captain:

"Cap'n, you've insulted and abused me on this trip, and sure as I'm alive, when I grow up to be a man, I'll lay for you and lick you if I'm able!"

Years rolled on, and the boy cook became master of a ship and could thrash almost any man of his inches and weight. In Portland one day he was passing by the Falmouth hotel when he encountered, face to face, his former Grand Banks captain and accosted him by name. The captain, surprised, allowed he had not the pleasure of the other's acquaintance, but the former Bath boy refreshed his memory with the circumstances of that fishing trip and added:

"I told you after you had struck me with that fish, cap'n, that I'd whale you if I ever grew big enough, so look out for yourself. I'll keep that promise right off."

With these preliminaries the Bath boy "sailed in" right on the principal street of Portland, and, sure enough, satisfactorily to himself, redeemed his boyish threat.—Butte Independent.

A Thorough Job.

A Philadelphia housekeeper tells this story in The Record of that city: "We had at one time in our employ a very green young woman whose nationality is typified by an emblem of the same verdant color. This young woman came to us through an intelligence (?) office. She showed her intelligence on the first day of her service in our family. She was told to go out in the yard and take

down the clothesline, which was stretched among a half dozen posts set up for that purpose. She was at the job for so long a time that we began to wonder what on earth was the matter with her. We went out to see what she was doing, and there we found her working away vigorously with a spade. She had already dug up three of the posts and had almost completed the work on a fourth when we found her. She didn't stay with us long."

TO A GIRL GRADUATE.

Whither away? What road, my friend? It has full many a turn. The flight of the eagle is without end, But the wood thrush seeks the burn.

Over the sea the white sails fly, The herons they wander far, The song lark soars in the azure sky, And the petrels cross the bar.

Whither away? What road, my friend? The rover is full of fire, But the peaceful vale where the willows bend Is the nightingale's desire.

—Harper's Bazar.

Was Equal to the Occasion.

A story is told of a colored preacher who was holding a meeting in a large tobacco barn in a rural district in Kentucky. An empty tobacco hogshead was impressed into service as an elevation upon which to stand while delivering his discourse. Throwing his arms into the air above his head, and elevating one foot, he exclaimed, "De righteous shall rise and the wicked shall fall!" At the word "fall" he brought his foot down vehemently upon the head of the hogshead and like a flash it gave way and he dropped out of sight, being short of stature. Amid the precipitated uproar he reached up and grasped the chime of the barrel and drew himself into view, shouting, "Bress God, dey shall rise again!"

Personally Conducted Tour Through Mexico.

The Northwestern Line has arranged for a personally conducted tour through Mexico, under the auspices of Mr. J. J. Grafton, the well known excursion manager. The party will rendezvous at Chicago and leave there Tuesday morning, January 25, 1898, in a Special Vestibuled Train of Palace Sleeping Cars, which will be their home for the entire trip. All of the cities and almost every place of interest in this wonderful country will consume thirty days, but the tickets will be limited for return passage to nine months. A more interesting, beneficial or pleasant winter outing it would be difficult to conceive. Illustrated pamphlets and full information as to rates, etc., will be furnished on application to ticket agents Chicago & Northwestern Railway.

Lord Mayor's Regalia.

The most interesting features in connection with the inauguration of the lord mayor of London are the objects of plate and jewelry connected therewith. The scepter, pearl sword and city purse are carried before the lord mayor at this inauguration. The stem of the scepter is the oldest piece of jewelry extant in England. It is cut crystal and was fashioned in the days of Edward the Confessor. The pearl sword dates from the time of Elizabeth and the ponderous city mace from George II.

Tour of All Mexico.

Special vestibuled train of sleeping and dining cars with the new open No-Top Observation car start from Chicago Jan. 18 and Feb. 23, under the management of The American Tourist Association. Tickets include all expenses. Apply to Agents Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul R'y. for programs.

O. W. O. Hardman, when sheriff of Tyler Co., W. Va., was at one time, almost prostrated with a cold. He used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and was so much pleased with the quick relief and cure it afforded him, that he gave the following unsolicited testimonial: "To all who may be interested, I wish to say, that I have used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, and find it invaluable for coughs and colds." For sale by People's Drug Co.

The Hot Springs, Picturesquely situated in the heart of the Black Hills of South Dakota, are renowned for the marvelous cures of rheumatism, neuralgia and kidney diseases, which have been effected by the use of its waters. First-class hotel accommodations and baths. Tourist tickets on sale daily and especially low rates on the first and third Tuesdays of this month. For full information apply to agents Chicago & Northwestern Railway.

I had the rheumatism so badly that I could not get my hand to my head. I tried the doctor's medicine without the least benefit. At last I thought of Chamberlain's Pain Balm; the first bottle relieved all of the pain, and on half of the second bottle effected a complete cure.—W. J. HOLLAND, Holland, Va. Chamberlain's Pain Balm is equally good for sprains, swellings and lameness, as well as burns, cuts and bruises. For sale at People's Drug Co's store, corner East Milwaukee street.

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JANESVILLE MARKET PRICES

Quotations On Grain And Produce are Reported For The Gazette.

The following figures show the range of prices in the local market.
Flour—Good to best Patent, \$1.20 to \$1.35 per sack.
WHEAT—Fair to best quality 85 @ 90c
BUCKWHEAT—60c @ 65c a 100
BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—25c for 10 lbs. sack.
RYE—in request at 45 @ 46c per 60 lbs. sack.
BARLEY—Ranges at 25c @ 35c according to quality.
CORN—Shelled \$7.00 per ton. Ear 6.00 @ 6.50
OATS—white, 20c @ 21c.
CLOVER SEED—2.50 @ 2.85 per bushel.
TIMOTHY SEED—90c @ 1.15 per bushel.
MEAL—60c per 100 lbs. \$12.00 per ton.
FEED—60c per 100 lbs. \$12.00 per ton.
BEAN—50c per 100 lbs; \$11.00 per ton.
KIDNEY BEAN—60c per 100, \$12.00 per ton.
HAY—Timothy Per ton, \$6.50 @ \$7.00. other kinds \$5.00 @ \$6.00 per ton.
STRAW—\$4.00 @ \$4.50 per ton.
POWDER—55 @ 60c per bushel.
BUTTER—15c @ 17c.
EGGS—Scarcely 15c 17c per dozen.
POULTRY—Turkeys 90c @ 1.00. Chickens 85c @ 90c.
WOOL—17c @ 20c for washed; 15c @ 18c for unwashed.
HIDES—Green, 7c @ 8c; dry, 10c @ 12c.
FATS—Range at 40c @ 50c each cask.
LIVE STOCK—Cattle \$2.00 @ 4.00 per 100 lbs. Hogs, \$3.00 @ 3.35 per 100 lbs.

Chicago Board of Trade.

Chicago, Jan. 17.—The following table shows the range of quotations on the board of trade:

Articles.	High.	Low.	Jan. 17.	Jan. 15.
Wheat				
Jan ...	91 1/2	90 1/2	91 1/2	91 1/2
May ...	91 1/2	90 1/2	91 1/2	90 1/2
July ...	80 1/2	80 1/2	80 1/2	80 1/2
Dec ...	76	75 1/2	75 1/2	75 1/2
Corn				
Jan ...	26 1/2	26 1/2	26 1/2	26 1/2
May ...	29 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2
July ...	30 1/2	30 1/2	30 1/2	30 1/2
Oats				
Jan ...	22	22	22	22
May ...	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2
July ...	22 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2
Pork				
Jan ...	9.25	9.20	9.25	9.20
May ...	9.45	9.30	9.40	9.32 1/2
Lard				
Jan ...	4.62 1/2	4.65	4.62 1/2	4.65
May ...	4.75	4.72 1/2	4.75	4.75
Short Ribs				
Jan ...	4.57 1/2	4.55	4.57 1/2	4.55
May ...	4.72 1/2	4.67 1/2	4.70	4.67 1/2

There Is a Class of People

Who are injured by the use of coffee. Recently there has been placed in all the grocery stores a new preparation called GRAIN-O, made of pure grains, that takes the place of coffee. The most delicate stomach receives it without distress, and but few can tell it from coffee. It does not cost over 1/2 as much. Children may drink it with great benefit. 15 cts. and 25 cts. per package. Try it. Ask for GRAIN-O.



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THE OVERFLOW OF LOCAL NEWS

COUNTY NEWS IN PARAGRAPH

Items of Interest Gathered by The Gazette Correspondent.

THE GAZETTE AGENCY
W. W. CLARK, Manager,
Milton, Wis., Jan. 18, 1898.

The live hog market last week was brisk and prices were well sustained. At the close local buyers were paying \$3.40 for choice light, a higher figure than other competing points offered. The carload shipments for the week were six cars of hogs by Vincent and Hassenger, four cars of hay and one each of straw and corn by J. S. Fetherston, one each of hogs and corn by G. E. Fetherston and one each of tobacco by J. L. and M. F. Greene and Soverhill and Porter.

The burning out of a chimney in the Jackson building, in which the G. A. R. Hall is located, created quite an excitement Saturday afternoon, but fortunately the fire was confined to the chimney.

A series of revival meetings began at the Methodist church Sunday evening and will continue this week. Mr. Spafford leads the singing and has a fine voice.

Rev. George B. Chambers, pastor of the Congregational church, tendered his resignation Sunday and action will be taken thereon next Sunday afternoon.

Station Agent Tomkins and Baggage Master Davy now wear caps designating their official positions as employees of the St. Paul road.

The team of Du Lac Lodge I. O. O. F. lodge expect to visit Lima Center next Saturday night and confer the initiatory degree.

Nelson Reynolds, the oldest man in the village, is failing fast, and his death at any hour would not be an unexpected event.

Jos. Taylor, of Rock Prairie, delivered a fine drove of 73 hogs to Vincent & Hassenger Friday, for which he received \$3.40 per hundred.

S. M. Spafford and wife, of Antioch, Ill., are now visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. H. McNitt and other Milton friends.

Mrs. J. B. Morton left today for Perry, Iowa, where she will spend several weeks with relatives.

Ernest Kleiforth, a younger brother of Henry Kleiforth, arrived direct from Germany today.

Mrs. J. E. Davidson started Monday night for Lawler, Iowa, where she will visit relatives.

Mrs. Place is very ill, and owing to her extreme age recovery is doubtful. Jay Spafford, who has been having an attack of grippe, is improving.

D. Y. Herkalew and wife spent Sunday with Janesville relatives.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Davy, on Saturday, Jan. 15, a son.

AFTON WOODMEN HELP BROTHER

Hold a Social for the Benefit of John Carroll—Other News.

Afton, Jan. 18.—The Modern Woodmen of Afton camp, No. 2192, gave an entertainment at the Baptist church last Saturday evening for the benefit of Neighbor John Carroll, who was burned out recently. The affair was very well attended, quite a delegation being present from Janesville, while Shopters was also represented. J. B. Humphrey presided during the presentation of the following program: Song Afton Woodman quartette; Remarks, V. O. Frank P. Starr; Song, Curtis children; Janesville; Recitation, Miss Pearl Willey; Song, Chester Morris; Recitation, Bertha Hammel; Recitation, Miss Alta Palmer; Song, Curtis children; Recitation, Miss Willey; Song, Trio, Janesville; Good Night song, Afton quartette. This was Miss Willey's first appearance before an Afton audience and she was accorded an enthusiastic reception, as were also Master and Miss Curtis and Master Morris, while Miss Palmer had to respond to an encore as usual. The Janesville trio captured the crowd with an original production, which dwelt on the many good qualities of the newly elected officers of Afton camp, and had to give another selection as an result. An oyster supper was served in the supper room of the church, by Mrs. Nellie McGree, at the conclusion of the entertainment. A club for the study of American history was formed at a meeting held at the residence of Frank P. Starr last Thursday evening. Organization was perfected under the name of the "Afton Historical club" and officers elected as follows: President, F. P. Starr; vice president, Eliza Stoddard; secretary, U. G. Waite. The club expects to meet weekly. Afton people would do well to remember the free public lecture to be given at the Baptist church next Friday evening by Professor A. J. Hutton of the White-water Normal school. His subject will be "The Community and the School." On Saturday Professor Hutton, assisted by Professor Buell, of Janesville, will conduct a teacher's institute at the public school building, for which a very interesting program has been arranged. The Baptist church will elect a trustee for the ensuing three years and listen to the annual report of the treasurer at a business meeting to be held at the conclusion of the regular prayer meeting next Thursday evening. A good attendance is desired. The "poverty social" held at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Baines last Friday evening was a decided success and productive of much merriment and money. The fines indicated in our last items, were levied and collected by a competent committee consisting of J. B. Humphrey, G. S. Otis and Emma Bryan. An elaborate

supper was served during the evening. Several were present from Janesville. The Modern Woodmen will meet in regular session next Saturday evening.

MILTON JUNCTION NEWS NOTES

Gossip of Interest From the Village Where Tracks Meet.

THE GAZETTE AGENCY
Mrs. E. D. COON, Manager,
Milton Junction, Jan. 18, 1897.

Mrs. Sarah Hinkley and Miss Olive Hinkley started for Luther, La., Monday noon. Quite a number of their Good Templar friends were at the depot to see them off. Miss Minnie Richardson went to Chicago Monday, for a week's visit with relatives there. Miss Lulu Mills spent Sunday at Lima. Mrs. D. Frink spent Saturday with her daughter, Mrs. Fred Burdick at Janesville. Miss Jennie Exell of Chicago, and Miss Mabel Palmer and Earl Coon of Janesville, visited Miss Nettie Coon of this place one day last week.

Miss Exell spent several days in this vicinity visiting relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Clarke spent Saturday and Sunday at Walworth. Mrs. Phaba Buten is confined to his bed by sickness. George Waltus of Albion attended the lecture here Monday eve. James Brown of this place died Thursday after a brief illness of pneumonia. Mr. Brown formerly lived at North Johnstown, but had been a resident of this place for the past two years. He leaves a wife but no children. The funeral was held Sunday p. m. from the M. E. church. A Universalist minister from Fort Atkinson conducting the services. The interment was at North Johnstown.

The I. O. O. F. and Rebekah lodges of this place held a joint installation last Wednesday evening. The Catholic young people give a play in Odd Fellows hall Tuesday evening, Jan. 18. Next week will be the Farmers' convention which always brings a crowd to this town.

The seating capacity of the hall has been enlarged and it is hoped there will be sufficient room this year to accommodate the crowd. Mrs. Helen Clark, of Chicago, has come to help care for her sister, Mrs. Keith, who has been very sick but is now much better. The Ladies' Aid society of the S. D. B. church will give a ten cent supper at E. D. Coon's Thursday evening, Jan. 20, the proceeds to go to the "Conference fence."

A historical, geographical and musical entertainment will be features of the evening. Reynolds Greenman spent Monday in Janesville on business for his daughter, Mrs. Holmes. The third lecture in the People's Course was given Monday by Mr. Wilder, of Madison. It was a very entertaining lecture and told "How to Gladden One's Own Funeral." L. P. Hinkley is moving into his mother's house. Mr. Conrad has moved from Stephen Kern's house into Melvin Chamberlain's house which he has rented for the coming year.

A MOCK TRIAL AT LIMA CENTER
Lady Jury Set the Defendant at Liberty—Some Other News.

Lima Center, Jan. 18.—The mock trial at Holbrook hall, Saturday night, given by the literary society, was a grand success. The prisoner, Sam V. B. McConnell, charged with keeping a "blind pig," was set free. It is thought by a good many, that he would have been convicted had not the jury been composed of ladies. It is estimated that about 400 people were in attendance. The new ice cream house at the creamery is completed and will be filled this week. Bert Collins and Miss Cora Kenyon spent Thursday evening of last week at George Fuller's, in Johnstown. Fred Sage of Fairfield, visited Mr. Merton Saxe, Thursday and Friday. William Newkirk, former blacksmith at this place, but now of Stoughton, made us a short call, Saturday. Glad to see you, Billy. Mrs. George Warner of Janesville, visited her brother, David, Thursday and Friday. Mrs. Harrington, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Martha Gould, returned to her home, Monday. Wedding bells will ring sweet music in Lima soon. Mrs. W. O. Aldrich and Mrs. George Fuller and daughter Edna of Johnstown, visited at H. L. James, Friday and attended the Home Forum in the evening. The question for debate at the next literary will be "Resolved; That women should vote."

The dance at Holbrook hall, Thursday eve was well attended and all present report a good time. The music was furnished by Ward and Taft of Whitewater. Robert Page, Miss Edna Richmond and Miss Lulu Mills spent Sunday at Milton Junction with relatives. Mrs. F. J. Walker spent Thursday with Mrs. P. E. Elphick of East Lima. Mr. and Mrs. A. Elphick spent Sunday at Milton Junction. Robert Page spent Sunday evening at Richmond. Mrs. Wurster spent Saturday at Eagle. The sad news has reached us from Milton Junction of the death of James Brown, a former resident of the town of Lima. Mr. Brown was very much respected by all and will be greatly missed.

NEWS OF NORTH JOHNSTOWN
Oyster Supper To Be Served—Some Personal Gossip.

North Johnstown, Jan. 18.—The oyster supper which was postponed last week on account of the storm will be held at O. N. Bevans Wednesday evening. Rev. G. P. Blanchard, of Alma, Mich., who is spending a few days at the parsonage supplied the pulpit Sunday morning. He is an old classmate of Rev. J. O. Steele. A number from this place attended

the funeral of James Brown at Milton Junction Sunday. He formerly resided in this vicinity and the interment was made here. Mr. and Mrs. George Bennett visited the family of their son, Dr. Louis Bennett at Beloit a part of last week. Remember the W. C. T. U. meeting with Mrs. C. B. Palmer, Thursday afternoon. Miss Jennie Heffron was at the parsonage a part of last week. A Demorest medal contest will be held at the church of Johnstown Center Saturday evening of next week Jan. 29. All are invited. Admission ten cents, children five. Mrs. Thomas Rice who has been suffering with a hard cold for several weeks was worse last week. She is now under the doctor's care. A great deal of petty thieving is reported in this vicinity and steps need to be taken for the arrest and punishment of the offenders. Several cases of measles are reported at Utera Corners and Richmond.

Magnolia News Notes.

Magnolia, Jan. 18.—Born January 12, 1898, to Mr. and Mrs. Otto Caston, a son. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wood of Evansville, were in attendance at the morning service at the A. church Sunday. Alfred Acheson of Minn., is calling on old friends and neighbors here. Eddie Acheson has gone to Klondike. The Young People's meeting was well attended Sunday night. Edith Hunkerford will be the next leader. All the young are invited to come to these services. Edith and Bert Hunkerford who have been visiting relatives the past month in Illinois returned last Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Searles and Mrs. Riley Searles, of Evansville, spent Friday of last week with Mr. and Mrs. Anton Cole. Mrs. Tom Harvey is very sick with paralysis. Dr. Ewing is attending her.

Prunes! Prunes!
We bought at a bargain a lot of very choice California prunes such as usually sell at 3 pounds for 25c. we have reduced them to 5c a pound as long as they last. The quality can be relied upon as being first-class in every way. Sanborn.

What Dr. A. E. Satter Says.
BUFFALO, N. Y., Gents:—From my personal knowledge, gained in observing the effect of your Shiloh's cure in cases of advanced consumption, I am prepared to say it is the most remarkable remedy that has ever been brought to my attention. It has certainly saved many from consumption. For sale by People's Drug Co.

All Quiet at Havana.
Washington, Jan. 18.—The state department and Senator Dupuy de Lome, the Spanish minister, both express the opinion that the trouble at Havana has blown over. No advice under today's date have been received by either the department or the minister.

Woman on Trial for Murder.
Sullivan, Ind., Jan. 18.—The trial of Mrs. Susan Heath for the alleged murder of her husband, Ulysses G. Heath, near Bloomfield, May 16, 1897, began Monday.

Railroad President Dead.
Lafayette, Ind., Jan. 17.—Adam Earle, 70 years of age, is dead. He was the first president of the Lake Erie & Western railway company, and also what is now the "Big Four" Railway company.

Tennessee Legislature Convenes.
Nashville, Tenn., Jan. 17.—The Tennessee legislature convened at noon today in extraordinary session. The primary object of calling the session was to enable the city of Memphis to adopt measures for improved sanitation, a return of the yellow fever with the warm weather being apprehended.

McCoy Challenges Fitzsimmons.
New York, Jan. 17.—Kid McCoy has challenged Robert Fitzsimmons to fight for the heavy-weight championship of the world, and has posted \$1,000 to bind a match. He declares that he will fight no one but Corbett or Fitzsimmons, and that he can defeat either of them.

LOST AND FOUND.
FOUND—Masonic pin. Owner can have same by inquiring at this office.

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WANTED—Furnished room, heated, centrally located. Address R., Gazette office.

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WANTED—By young man attending our school, place to work mornings, evenings, and Saturdays, for his board. Is thoroughly reliable and a willing worker. Valentine's School of Telegraphy, Janesville.

WANTED—By old, established house—High grade man or woman, good church standing, willing to learn our business, then to act as manager and state correspondent here. Salary \$800. Enclose self addressed stamped envelope to A. T. Elder, Manager, care Daily Gazette.

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COMMON SENSE CURE.

Pyramid Pile Cure Cures Piles Permanently by Curing the Cause.

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Probably half the people who see this article suffer from piles. It is one of the commonest diseases and one of the most obstinate. People have it for years and just because it is not immediately fatal they neglect it. Carelessness causes no end of suffering. Carelessness about so simple a thing as piles has often caused death. Hemorrhages occur from no apparent cause and loss of blood causes death. Hemorrhages occur during surgical treatment, often causing death.

Piles are simple in the beginning and easily cured. They can be cured even in the most stages, without pain or loss of blood, quickly, surely and completely. There is only one remedy that will do it—Pyramid Pile Cure.

It allays the inflammation immediately, heals the irritated surface and with continued treatment reduces the swelling and puts the membranes into good, sound healthy condition. The cure is thorough and permanent.

Here are some voluntary and unsolicited testimonials we have lately received:

Mrs. M. C. Hinkley, 601 Mississippi St., Indianapolis, Ind., says: Have been a sufferer from the pain and annoyance of Piles for fifteen years, the Pyramid Pile Cure and Pyramid Pills gave me immediate relief and in a short time a complete cure.

Druggists sell Pyramid Pile Cure or will get it for you if you ask them to. It is but 50 cents per package and is put up only by Pyramid Drug Co., Marshall, Mich.

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For one day only we will sell Fancy Stationery at prices never before heard of.

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Ladies' high cut button Overshoes, worth \$2.00, for 1 00

Men's Goods—Oil Grain Shoes, 75c to \$1.25, worth double; Men's Shoes, \$1 to \$2, worth \$2 to \$4; Men's \$3 3-buckle Overshoes, \$1.50; Men's Storm Overshoes worth \$1.50, for \$1. Hundreds of bargains for men too numerous to mention.

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January Cloak Business . .

Is good--better than usual in this month, but whether it is because there's more money in circulation or that we are giving better values than ever before, we cannot tell. Certain it is that business in the cloak department reminds us of the busy times during early season. Of course there are many reasons why women are buying cloaks at this time, the most important being that the new and stylish coats which have been priced at \$9 to \$15 can be bought today at \$5.00, and coats which have been up to \$7.50 are now down to \$2.87. This applies to misses' jackets as well as to ladies' garments, whether jackets or capes.

It is well to have in mind that the line of new, stylish garments which we show at this time is larger and more complete than the average store shows at the beginning of a season. For large women we have plenty of good coats in 40, 42, 44 and 46 bust measure at both the above prices--\$2.87 and \$5.00.

Gaiter Leggings--

For ladies, misses and children in six sizes, made of black jersey cloth, with buttons and straps. Prices 75c to \$1.35 according to size. No gaiter on the market to equal them for warmth.

Fleece Lined Hosiery--

Have all sizes, in two qualities for ladies--25c and 35c, and at the prices they are excellent value. For children, have a line, sizes 6 to 9½, at 10c and 12½c

All lines of Winter Goods are priced low.

ARCHIE REID & CO.

THE GREATEST OF ALL BARGAIN SALES IS ON.

LOWELL IS THE LEADER AND THE WHOLE BAND

Saturday, the opening day of this wonderful sale, was a howling success. A full house, and standing room at a premium. Everybody was pleased. Plenty of reason for it. The same old story. When LOWELL advertises a Closing Out Sale prices cut no figure. There is no tooling about this sale. The stock must be closed out at once, and **thirty days** is the limit of time for it.

WE GIVE A FEW OF LOWELL'S CLOSING OUT PRICES:

500 Cuspidores nicely decorated with gold leaves, etc., 14c each. Heavy tin Cuspidores, nicely finished, gold band decoration, 5c.
Hand shaved Ax Handles, 9c.
Bushel Baskets, heavy, well made, 14c.
Market Baskets, 5c.
Best Mop Sticks, 7c.
Heavy Iron Stove Pipe, 8c a length.
Strong Coal Shovels, 4c.
No. 2 Lamp Chimneys, 4c.
Kirk's best Washing Soap, house-keepers' favorite, 10 bars for 25c.

Buttermilk Soap, 3 cake box, best made, 8c.
2-qt. tin Tea and Coffee Pots, 8c.
10-qt. Bread Raisers, 34c.
Heavy tin Pie Plates, 2c.
Escalloped Cake Tins, largest size, 4c.
Crumb Tray and Bristle Brush, 14c.
Comb, Brush and Match Case, with Looking Glass, 9c.
Large bottle best Stove Enamel, 8c.
Large size Platters, big enough to hold the largest turkey, iron stone china, 22c.

We cannot mention all of the Imported China, either in sets or single pieces. It would be necessary to own a newspaper to do so.

Large size iron stone Vegetable Dishes, best made, 6, 8, 10, 12, 17 and 23 cents.

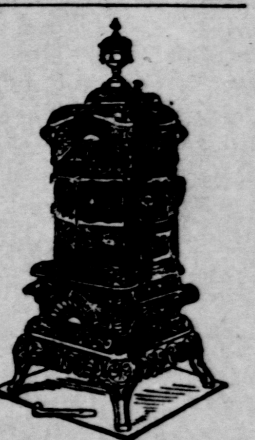
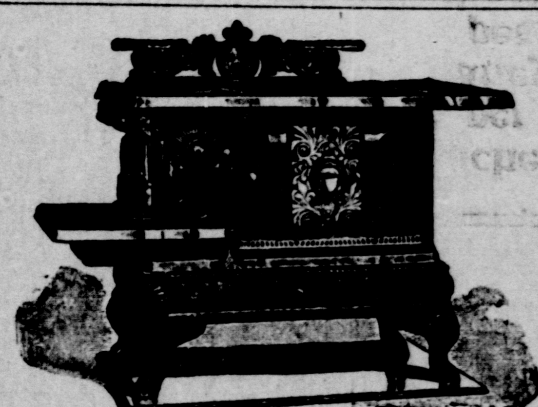
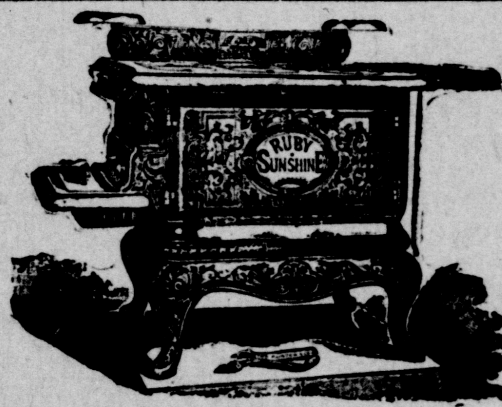
Beautiful Stand Lamp with globe, 62c.
Lamps as high as \$10; we don't ask fancy prices on these goods, we want them to go out of the store quickly.

Glass handle Lamps complete, 14c and 19c; large size 23c.

Steel rod Umbrellas, 50c.
Beautiful Albums, 49c up.
Handled Axes, guaranteed, 55c.
Doll Buggies, 20c and up.
Beautiful decorated Water Set, including Tray, 25c.
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Every Dinner These Days

You eat canned vegetables or fruit; these articles cut quite a figure in the living expenses. We wish to impress on you the need of buying this class of goods of us. We sell them much cheaper than you can buy elsewhere and give you the highest quality obtainable. Our stock contains 1000 cases of the choicest canned goods we could find; they were all bought before the advance last season and our customers derive the benefit of our foresight. Read the list carefully and compare prices:

Early June Sweet Peas, 10c can; 3 for 25c <small>Over 200 cases sold last season. Every can that went from the store made us a friend or customer.</small>	Mason Bros. & Davis' solid meat Tomatoes, can Ruby Tomatoes, per can 10c <small>A large Chicago wholesale house offered to buy all these goods we had at \$1.00 per dozen recently. We refused the offer; the benefit is yours.</small>	Trilby Yellow Table Peaches, 3 for 25c; per can 10c <small>Regular 18c, 2 for 25c, goods, and of the choicest variety.</small>	Richelieu Asparagus Tips, per can 25c
Russian Sweet Peas, per can 15c <small>These goods never retailed heretofore less than 20c. We make them special.</small>	Monarch extra Tomatoes, 2 for 25c; per can 13c	Gridley Yellow Table Peaches, 2 for 25c; per can 13c	Fancy Bartlett Pears, per can 15c
Sifted Early June Peas, per can 10c	Richelieu extra Tomatoes, 2 for 25c; per can 13c	Reindeer Yellow Cal. Peaches per can 20c	Charter Oak Bartlett Pears, 6 for \$1.00; per can 20c
Richelieu Sugar Peas, per can 20c <small>True to name; quality never varies.</small>	Royalton's Stringless Beans, 3 for 25c; per can 10c	Fancy Yellow Crawford Cal. Peaches, per can 15c	Reindeer White Cal. Cherries, per can 25c
Imported French Peas, can, Jules Duponts' extra fine 20c	Richelieu Stringless Beans, per can, straight 15c	Monarch extra Lemon Cling Peaches, per can 35c <small>Put up in pure granulated sugar syrup.</small>	Reindeer Black Cherries, per can 25c
Imported French Peas, per can 10c <small>A very fine one at the price but not as good as Duponts'.</small>	Richelieu Golden Wax Beans, 2 for 25c; per can 13c	Richelieu extra White Cling Peach, per can 35c <small>Put up in cordial; finest article put up.</small>	Reindeer Royal Aim Cherries, very fine, per can 38c
White Owl Sweet Corn, per can 7c <small>These are especially fine at this price and always sell at 10c.</small>	Monarch Golden Wax Beans, per can 15c	Richelieu extra sliced Peaches for cream 35c	Richelieu Preserved Cherries, red, pitted, per can 35c
Country Gentleman Sweet Corn, per can 10c	Monarch French Lima Beans, per can 15c	Derby Cal. Apricots, 2 for 25c; per can 13c <small>In sugar syrup; regular price 15c can.</small>	Monarch Crabapples in sugar syrup, extra fine 10c <small>Wholesale price today is \$1.75 a dozen.</small>
Monarch Sweet Corn, 2 for 25c, per can 13c	Richelieu French Lima Beans, per can 20c	Golden Seal Cal. Apricots in sugar syrup, 2 for 25c; can 13c	Monarch and Batavia Apples, per gallon can 25c <small>Two best brands: this is exactly wholesale price on them today.</small>
Richelieu Sweet Corn, 2 for 25c; per can 13c	Richelieu extra Lima Beans, per can 15c	Yuba Apricots in sugar syrup, 2 for 25c; per can 13c <small>Regular 18c qualities.</small>	Tepee Blackberries, per can 10c <small>Wholesale price today is \$1.15 a dozen.</small>
	Richelieu Moorpark Apricots in extra fine syrup, can 30c	Monarch Red Kidney Beans, per can 10c <small>This is a special price; usually sells at 13c; 2 for 25c.</small>	Tremain Preserved Blackberries, per can 10c <small>Wholesale price today is \$1.25 a dozen.</small>
			Tremain Preserved Raspberries, per can 10c <small>Wholesale price today is \$1.35 a dozen.</small>

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